ORRIT

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To Bert Reed

Bert (Burger)
It's really
been an honor and
a privilege to call you
friend these past five
years. In my opinion
you're one of the finest
friends a person could have
(except on a double date when
he decides to visit the family
after the date). My only wish
is that we can remain
friends in the years to
come. May you have the
best of everything in the
years to come.
John Caughron

Dear Bert,
you are one of
the sweetest boys
I have ever had
the pleasure of
knowing. Good
Luck always to
a Wonderful Boy.
Carol Furst

To Bert,
Your sweet manner
& charm I have
enjoyed these many
fifty short five years.
I hope our friendship
will last for many
years in the future.
Have a Merry Christmas
& Happy New Year
Love
Jean Fuller

Bert -
I have really enjoyed
this part of your life
with you. I wish you
nothing but the best
I hope we can remain
friends for many years
to come. Merry Christmas
& Happy New Year
Jan Ott. Good luck all ways
Richard

Dear Bert
Here is to a really
fine fellow with my wishes
for all the luck in the world.
I'll see you next year.
Stewart Meyers

Bert -
Lots of luck
a swell guy and I hope
know you for a long time.
Dick Swenson

Dear Bert,
It is hard
any thing to
I admire)
(you) have)
personality
with people.
been an asset.
lot of fun
(you) this year.
I am sure
at O.U.
Best of luck to
wonderful boy.
Georgia Burk

Dear Bert,
You're such a swell
guy that it would be
impossible to tell you in
this space.
So I'll just say I love
you always & see you
at O.U. real soon
Love,
Ann Hall

Dear Bert,
I sure have missed
you in History this
second semester. I
hope you have the
best of luck always
and you certainly
deserve it.
Diane Wilkins

Dear Bert,
I know that with your wit
and personality you'll go a long,
long way.
You're really swell and I've
enjoyed knowing you.
Lots of luck always,
Janet Collisson

Dear Bert,
I know of many
an sweater
been wonderful knowing you. Hope
you'll always
be friends.
Sincerely,
Edward Emerick
Emerson

Dear Bert,
I'm really sure
at C.W. you'll
a little bit
numerals
I was
luck always because you are
such a swell guy.
Mary Ann

Sorry
Bert, it was
Sorry it's not
most unusual
last semester.
pursued at
Luck
Vonnie
W50 x5

ORBIT

Dear Bertie,

Here we are finally seniors together, we've gone through a lot together, Junior High and Senior High. You're a boy who is always fun to be with. I always enjoy all of our chats. I'll never forget our dates trips, especially our fishing one and the Chickasha trip when you had so much trouble with the tires. We've been in a lot of plays and you've always brought the house down. I know you're headed to be a big success, that personality will carry you far. It wonderful to have a good friend like you. Im looking forward to more good times in the future with a favorite friend, you!

Love,
Eunice Jenkins

CLASSEN HIGHSCHOOL
OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLAHOMA
A Grand Old Name Since 1921

FOREWORD

Winged words! They are the pinions which speed the free exchange of thoughts throughout the world.

Winged words! They spread the truth, not despot-twisted, nor slowed by ocean's void or mountain's crest.

Winged words! They implement the divine writing, ". . . the truth shall make ye free."

Engaged now in a struggle for freedom as titanic as any that has gone before, this nation today fights tyranny with the two-edged sword of truth, and the sinews of her arms are words—winged words!

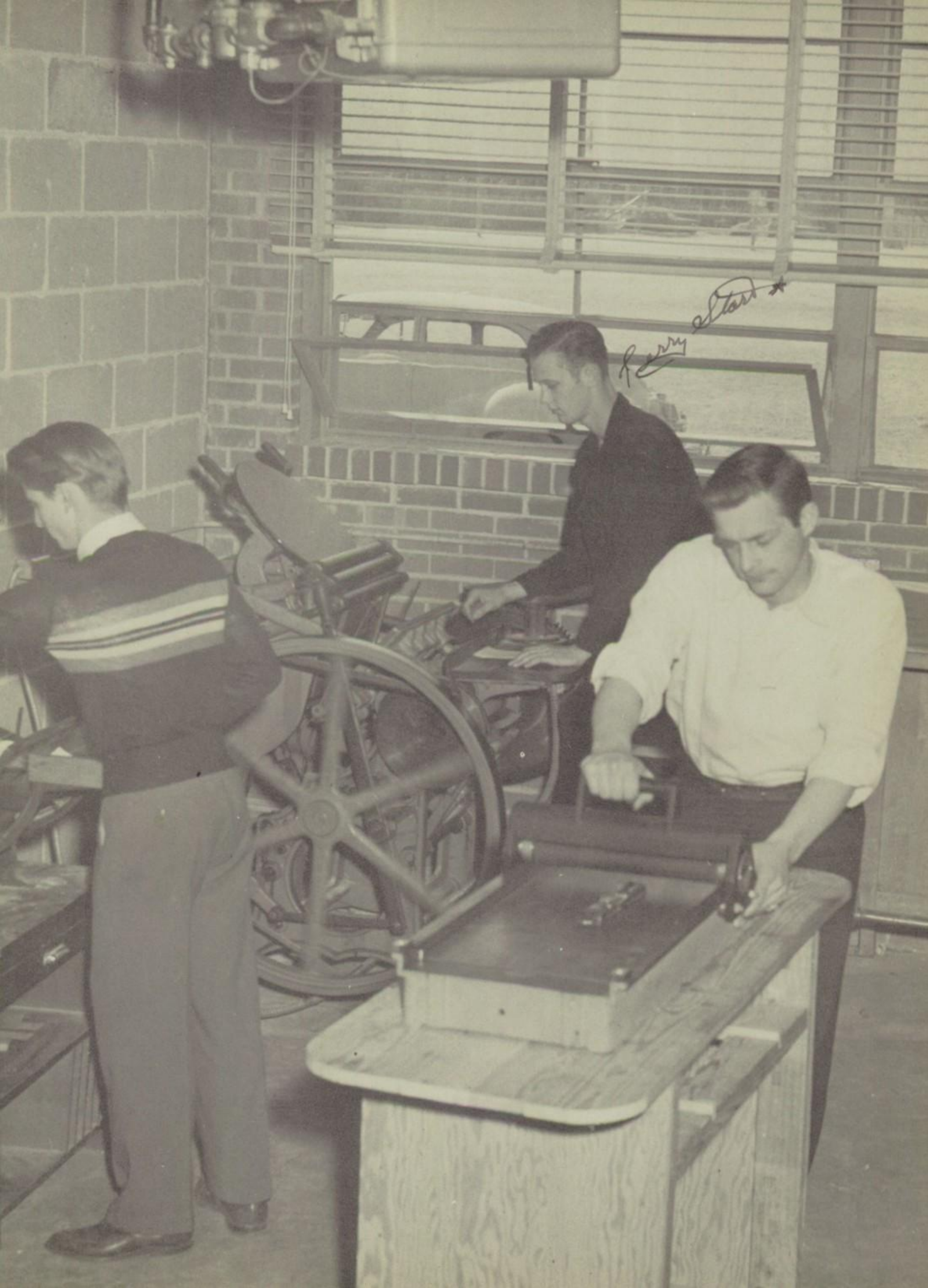
America now is reaching down into the darkness for the hands of her sister nations of the world. She will reach them and draw them into the glorious light of freedom.

To do this, she must sell, is selling, herself, from the beginning—in that divinely-inspired consecration to life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness—until today—at the pinnacle of human dignity flourishing as nowhere else.

Yes, America is selling herself. And as she sells herself to the family of nations, so does the individual in this nation sell himself or herself—whether it be the qualifications for a job, or the shiny automotive dreams that come true daily on the production line.

Thus one comes to the theme of the 1952 Orbit. Herein, borrowed from the world of advertising, lie the same words, though differently arranged, which America is using in her sale of freedom to the world.

As these words tell Americans the truth about the bounteous outpouring of the things which make life full and rich and good, it is the hope that they will tell to you the truth about America's educational system as typified by Classen High School.


Larry Starr

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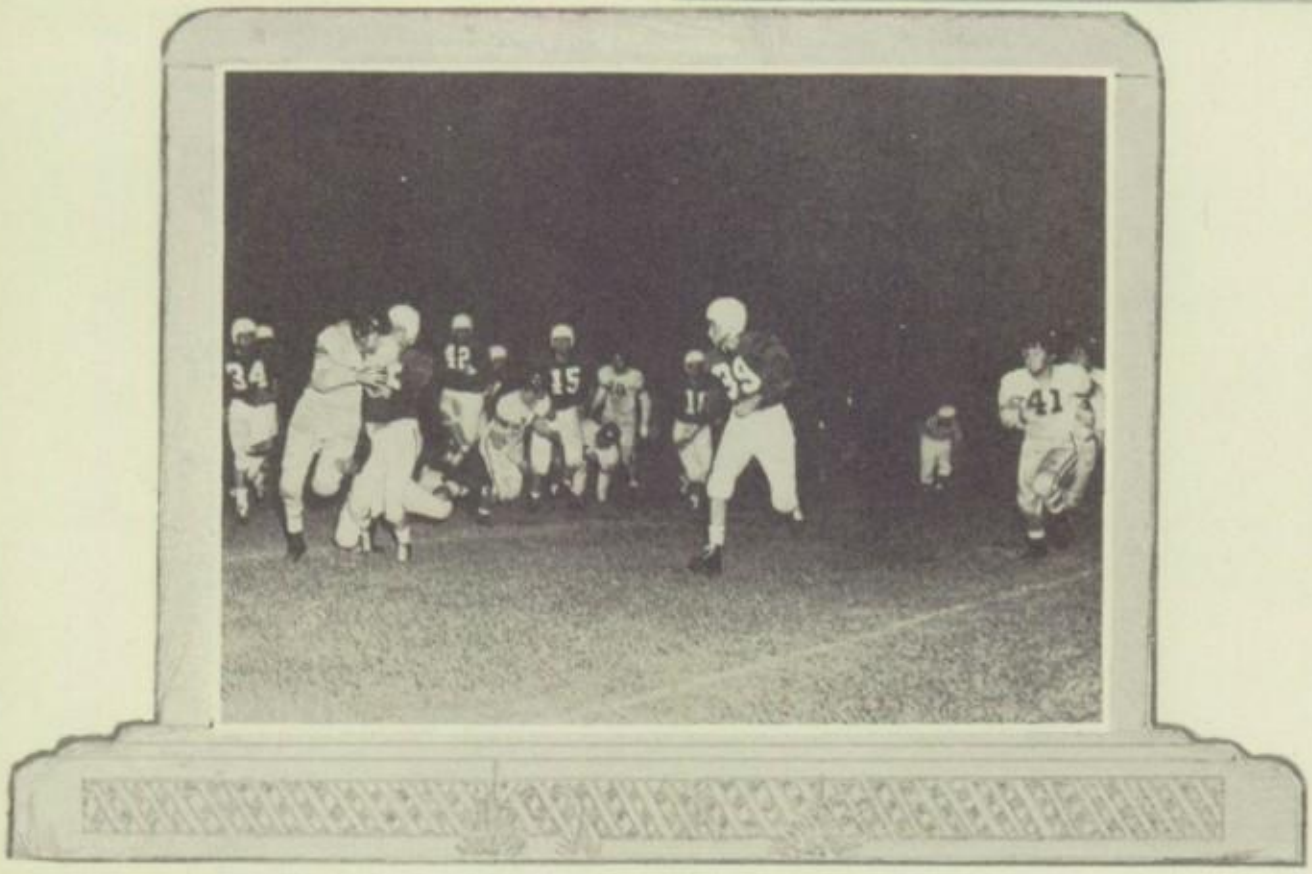

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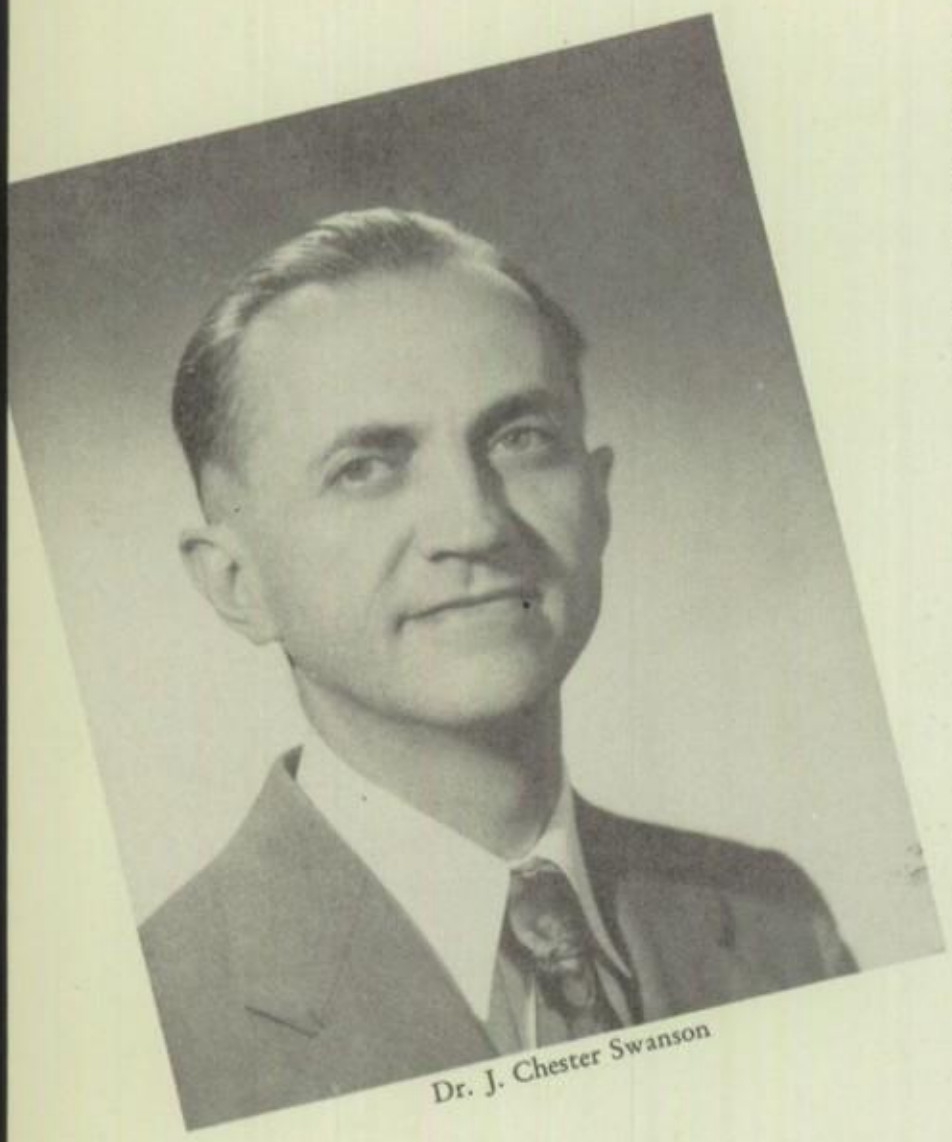
WORKING TOGETHER

Dear Bert
I can't begin to tell you how much fun I've had with you this year. I'll always remember our little trip to Chickasha and the two flat tires, those were really great days and I hope we'll have many more. Bert you really have a wonderful personality and you're a great sport in everything. Always stay as much fun as you are now and you'll stay on top and be a leader (In fact I'd bet you were the leader of the raids down at O.U.)
Loads of the best always.
Ginger

Dear Bert.
I have had been fun
knowing you at Clarkson:
especially in Bugbee's class.
You are a wonderful boy, Bert
so stay just as you are now.
Best of Luck always,
Ann Woodmansee
B. V. L.

ADMINISTRATION

Capable administration at the top level sets the pace for an overall smooth functioning school system. Oklahoma City's 81 schools look to the strong leadership of Dr. J. Chester Swanson, superintendent of schools. Dr. Swanson has successfully supervised the school system for the last two years. His experience in the field of education includes outstanding work in the Panama Canal school administration. Dr. Swanson came to Oklahoma City from San Diego, California.



Dr. J. Chester Swanson

For the first time in 15 years, the Oklahoma City Board of Education has a woman member, Mrs. L. D. Melton, mother of two children, and an active member of the Parent-Teacher association. Another prominent new member is Mr. Jim Lookabaugh, former Oklahoma A&M college football coach. The board, which sets policy for city schools, has Mr. John C. Pearson, Jr., ward two, as president. Mr. R. Lewis Barton and Mr. C. B. McCray were re-elected.

BOARD OF EDUCATION

Left to right: Mr. John C. Pearson, Jr., president; C. B. McCray, vice president; R. Lewis Barton, Mrs. L. D. Melton and Jim Lookabaugh.

ADMINISTRATION

When Classen students participate in events both here and in other cities and states, they are never without the encouragement and guidance of W. H. Taylor, principal. Who can remember a time when Mr. Taylor, during his nine years here, has ever missed a play, a football game or individual recitals? Classen can boast no more able administrator, nor can its students have a more loyal friend, than Mr. Taylor.

MR. W. H. TAYLOR
Principal

MR. LLOYD ESTES
Vice Principal

MRS. DELMA HARRIS MISS ETHELYN McNUTT

MRS. LAURA MATTHEWS

OFFICE FORCE

A sense of humor tempered with firm fairness is the successful recipe which has brought students with problems to the door of Lloyd Estes, vice principal. Working closely with Mr. Estes is Mrs. Clara Alley, registrar; Mrs. Laura Matthews, secretary to the principal; Mrs. Delma Harris and Miss Ethelyn McNutt, who keep track of student attendance.

MRS. CLARA ALLEY

LIBRARY

It takes a competent librarian and several student helpers to keep the book traffic flowing smoothly. Students like the feeling of responsibility that goes with caring for the school's many valuable books, and they also receive their first lessons in library science.

Row 1: Wagner, Maytha; Madole, Bernadine. *Row* 2: Thornham, Susie; Grimsley, Bethyl; Woodmansee, Lou. *Not pictured*: Cockrum, Eunice, librarian.

Learn as We Work

CLINIC

Nosebleeds and skinned knees, cut fingers and headaches, it's all in a day's work for the clinic staff. Student aids not only learn the fundamentals of first aid, but they also render a service to their friends. The clinic is equipped with three beds and a medicine cabinet full of non-prescription medicines, plus safety pins, needles and thread.

Row 1, *left to right*: Angevine, Dorothy, supervisor; Watters, Janice; Carroll, Carolyn; Cherry, Elaine; Flanagan, Ann. *Row* 2: Price, Janey; Howe, Lucinda; Suggs, Shirley; Leary, Janice.

CAFETERIA

Left to right: Lottie Smith, Gwendolen Lee, Cecil Burton, Sadie Stoner, Lucille Bozarth, Narine Good, Mary Matthews, Myra Ellis, Thelma Evans, Marian Sorrenson, Mary Jung, Grace Erwin, Mildred Evans, Pauline Sallee, manager.

MISS GLADYS SHEPARD
History

Best wishes
Gladys Shepard

UNESCO

Classenites in the United Nations Educational, Social and Cultural Organization were active in managing the UNESCO statewide convention held in Oklahoma City. Approximately 500 representatives from state schools attended. They discussed world problems and affairs.

Row 1: Rey, Charles, sergeant at arms; White, Marilyn, secretary; Losey, Margaret, vice president; Zellner, Carl, president; Skinner, Rosemary, first semester president; Ellison, Robert, parliamentarian; Jenkins, Eunice, reporter. *Row* 2: Wright, Betty; Grubb, Ann; Collins, Sue; Eacock, Jane; Hall, Ann; Dorr, Clyde; Naifeh, Alvin. *Row* 3: Shepard, Gladys, sponsor; Thornham, Susan; Gandy, Carolyn; Wooten, Joline; Gordon, Barbara; Himelfarb, Faith. *Row* 4: Dyche, Jane; Nagel, Christina; Williams, Carolyn; Poore, Pat; Keesee, Kon; Wilson, Faith; Foster, Robert.

The World Over

ASSEMBLY COMMITTEE

While drifting away from assembly how many times have you heard someone say, "That was a swell assembly. Who do you suppose discovered all that talent from Classen?" The answer lies in the long hours of toil by the assembly committee, composed of the following:

Row 1: Morris, Margaret; Ware, Jenny; Barnhill, John; Besett, Herwanna; Foster, Jan. *Row* 2: Holland, Blanche; Brown, Marian; Branham, Georgia; Reedy, Martha; Meyers, Stewart. *Row* 3: Keesee, Kon; Cullimore, Kelvyn; Nichols, Thomas; Livingston, Hazel; Cornelius, Merl.

MISS OPHELIA BYARS
History

Burt,
To know you has
been so nice.
Hazel
Livingston

MRS. HAZEL LIVINGSTON
English

MISS BLANCHE HOLLAND
History

MR. COLLIS ENGLAND
History

OKLAHOMA CITY HISTORY

When the senior highschools of Oklahoma City provided students to work on a comprehensive history of the city, Classen contributed these researchers to work on two chapters of the book project. They are: *Row* 1: Mullins, Carol; Panos, Mary; Hand, Dorothy; Renegar, Agnes; Pritchard, Joyce. *Row* 2: Lewis, Tommy; Campbell, Boyd; Hedricks, Larry; Blakeburn, Van; Murphy, Tom; Keesee, Kon. *Row* 3: Woody, Larry; Carroll, Bobby; Soloman, Bruce; Spaan, Gary; Schwartz, Bobby; King, Max.

DAN McNATT
President

CHARLES KEY
Vice President

MARGARET MORRIS
Secretary

TOM LEKAS
Treasurer

STUDENT COUNCIL

Democracy at work finds no more fertile field than the Classen Student Council. All major decisions concerning the student body are made by Council members, who also handle school elections, contests and representation in the Intra-City Student Council. Our student government not only draws us closer to Classen, but also gives us a first hand demonstration of legal procedures.

Row 1, *left to right*: McKown, Dick, parliamentarian; Key Charles, vice president; McNatt, Dan, president; Morris, Margaret, secretary; Lekas, Tom, treasurer; Weinert, Duane, sponsor. *Row* 2: Smith, Anthony; Adair, Betty; Fitch, Nancy; Bagby, Joel; Wilson, Mary Lou; Peek, Carolyn; Scott, Shirley; Hart, Don; Clayton, Mary; Rhoads, Jimmy; Branham, Georgia; Flanagan, Ann; Jones, Ernestine; Kruger, Charles; Priddy, Louise; Gulihur, Larry. *Row* 3: Minter, Myrl; Brown, Marian; Jones, Wiltoma; Wickham, Mary Helen; Johnston, Nancy; Ferris, Maurice; Carson, Cecil; Dobson, Page; Engle, Tonita; Reedy, Martha; Carroll, Carolyn; Foster, Jan; Eads, Faith; Poore, Pat; Aikman, Betty; Wagner, Maytha. *Row* 4: Caldwell, Bob; Matthews, Doug; Montgomery, Lou Ann; Spencer, Shirley; Ware, Jenny; Shawver, Merica; Jeter, Pat; Stevens, Sandra; Smith, Don; Mateer, Pat; Bessett, Herwanna; Symonds, Dyan. *Row* 5: Colby, John; VanNort, Jerry; Christensen, Dal; Kunkel, Roger; Knezek, Ed; Zellner, Carl; Haggard, David; Cullimore, Kelvyn; Webber, Bob; Caughron, John; Meyers, Stewart; Lyon, Ed; Barnhill, John; Marshall, Jerry; Porch, Stanley.

First Row: Noell, Carolyn; Deen, Cameron, Chief Justice; Skinner, Rosemary. *Second Row*: Griffin, Joe; Rey, Charles.

SUPREME COURT

We make things a little warm for offenders of our student government regulations, because it carries out our ultimate purpose — graduating good citizens. The Supreme Court is the highest judicial body of the school. Appointed by the Student Council president, the Court interprets our school's laws and constitution, and hears cases referred from the Proctor Court.

Studies Help

Row 1, *left to right*: Riley, Susie; Noell, Carolyn; Runyon, Elaine; Hess, Lurlene; Adair, Betty; Morris, Margaret. *Row* 2: Weinert, Duane Mr.; Marshall, Lyda Mrs.; Rhoads, Jimmy; Kruger, Charles; Byars, Ophelia Miss; England, Collis Mr. *Row* 3: Gilmer, Gene Mr.; McDougal, Pat; Castle, Ronnie; Kunkel, Roger; Hicks, James Mr.

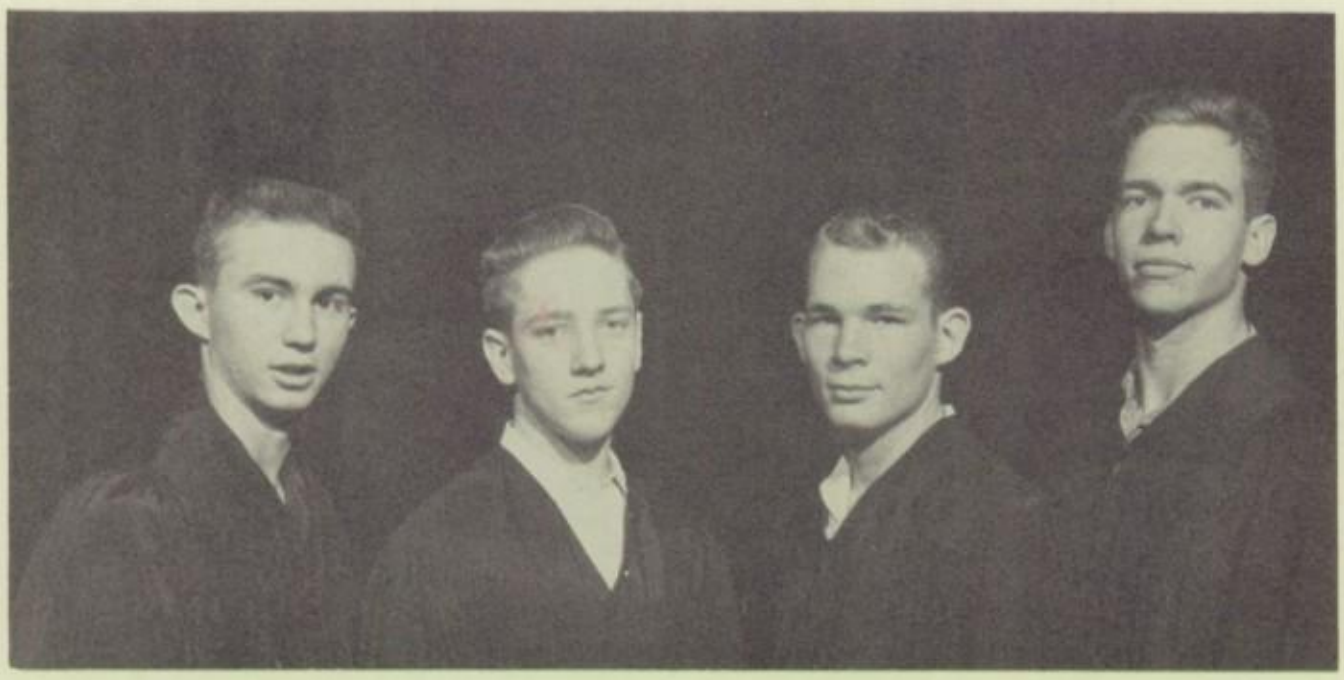
PEP COUNCIL

So it's rah rah, rah rah rah for the Pep Council members, who organize cheering at games, designate seating for pep clubs, direct printing of football programs, handle concessions and spearhead pep assemblies. The Council is composed of the presidents, representatives and sponsors of each of the pep clubs.

PROCTORS

"Excuse me, where's your hall pass?" This is the most oft-repeated question our student "police" forse asks. Our proctors help us to remember regulations, and at the same time keep the halls cleared of noisy loiterers.

First Row, left to right: Goodman, Max; Jackson, Bob; Miskovsky, George; Wright, Betty; Queen; Wilhite, Bob; Gulihur, Larry. *Second Row*: Bross, Jerry; Early, Jack; Wilson, Jerry; Ingram, Jim; Campbell, Dick; Estes, Lloyd Mr., sponsor. *Third Row*: Witten, Kenneth; Cranor, Buddy; Garr, Rex; Bealmear, Otis; Scruggs, Bob; Hann, Roy; Miskovsky, Jim.



PROCTOR COURT

When we neglect to get written permission to be out of class, our proctors sometimes ask us to appear in Proctor Court. The Court has four judges, and is similar in design to the lower courts in our democratic civil system. Judges are Charles Kruger, Joel Bagby, Ed Kenezek, and Gerry Levan.

Make Scholars Bright as Dollars

HONOR SOCIETY

Here is Classen's "brain trust," consisting of those students achieving scholastic honor in their junior and senior years. Not only do Honor Society members hold down top grades, but they also find time to participate in many school activities and organizations.

Row 1, *left to right*: Dykes, Margaret; Skinner, Rosemary; Bagby, Joel; vice president; Coachman, Mary Helen; treasurer; Kruger, Charles; president; Good, Carolyn; secretary; Rhoads, Jim; chaplain; Rey, Charles; Von Tungeln, Miss Henrietta, sponsor. *Row* 2: Edwards, Helen; Hill, Elinor; Graening, Gretchen; Shawver, Merica; Spencer, Shirley; Lekas, Tom; Griffin, Joe; Wooten, Joline; Gore, Sara; Deen, Cameron; Hairfield, Ann; Slaten, Shirley. *Row* 3: Moritz, Ann; Noell, Carolyn; Nichols, Joan; Urban, Norma; Moore, Toby Ann; Pendleton, Claude; Jones, Ernestine; Jones, Kathryn; Gandy, Carolyn; Rudolph, Carolyn; Kuwitzky, Mary Louise; Gentry, Dorotha; Carter, Helen. *Row* 4: Lewinsohn, Nancy; Simmons, Pat; Murdoch, Catherine; Johnston, Nancy; Morris, Margaret; Stevens, Sandra; Mateer, Pat; Ware, Jenny; Pitney, Celia; Besett, Herwanna; Metz, Mary Ann; Kester, Rosemary. *Row* 5: McInnes, Bill; Sivalls, Richard; Hann, Roy; Morkin, Gene; Bunch, Ralph; Abernathy, Jack; McKown, Dick; McMullen, Tom; Countryman, Fred; Key, Charles; Burruss, Mary Jane; Warnick, Margaret; Newton, Verree.

HONOR LANGUAGE

Do you plan to travel abroad or to become a translator for the United Nations? If your ambition runs along this line you might takes lessons from these Honor Language students. Their aptitude for leaning a foreign language has enabled these students to maintain, at the minimum, a high average throughout at least five semesters of one language.

Row 1: Jenkins, Eunice; Hill, Elinor; Wooten, Joline; Johnston, Nancy; Morris, Margaret; Kuwitzky, Mary Louise; Hopper, Eleanor; Pitney, Celia. *Row* 2: Wyatt, Dolores; Stanton, Doris; Kenney, Gayle; Timmons, Carol; Rowland, Diane. *Row* 3: Rogers, Gayle; Montgomery, Lou Ann; Marshall, Jeanne; Nicholas, Marilyn; Burmeister, Mary; McDonald, Carol; Lewinsohn, Nancy. *Row* 4: Nixson, Russell; Miller, C. F.; Core, Harold.

So Good So Many Ways

MISS HENRIETTA VON TUNGELN
Language

MISS LUCILLE WILLOUGHBY
Language

MR. ARTHUR KINCAID
Language

MISS LELIA PICKARD
Language

GERMAN CLUB

The name gives us a step in the right direction toward guessing what the members are interested in. Through a common attraction for German they have formed a group to further their knowledge. Can you name a better way for one student of German to learn the language than by speaking it with another student? Here we are luckier than most, our German exchange student makes it an unbeatable setup.

Row 1, *left to right*: Rhoads, Jimmy; Zschiesche, Ed; Jones, Marilyn; Wilson, Ross. *Row* 2: Cralle, Mike; Bendorf, Ellen; Matthews, Kenneth; Vedder, Gretchen; Wacker, Wolf. *Row* 3: White, Freda; Hart, Gordon; Mobley, Worner; Bergman, Jack.

RED CROSS

These boys and girls, members of Classen's Junior Red Cross chapter, give much of their own time quietly doing good for others. Each advisory is represented here. Chapter members spearhead the drives which help fill the coffers of the American Red Cross.

Row 1, *left to right*: Bourke, Helen, sponsor; Skinner, Rosemary; Warnick, Margaret; Lane, Elizabeth, reporter; Keesee, Kon, vice president; Riley, Suzie, president; Good, Carolyn, secretary; Deen, Cameron, treasurer; Burruss, Mary Jane; Price, Jane. *Row* 2: Emerson, Millie; Kennedy, Beth; Flanagan, Ann; Owen, Patricia; Baird, Phyllis; Wooten, Joline; Gandy, Carolyn; Rudolph, Carolyn; Moore, Toby; Bollinger, Geraldine; Stein, Janet. *Row* 3: Dillingham, Marilyn; Davis, Suzanne; Mauldin, Jean; McMahan, Beth; Watters, Jeannine; Highleyman, Ginger; Peek, Carolyn; Wilson, Faith; Noell, Carolyn; Hart, Jo Ellen; Gaines, Kathryn. *Row* 4: Porter, Harriet; Pritchard, Joyce; Montgomery, Lou Ann; Finney, Jim; Schwartz, Bob; Nichols, Max; Myers, Patsy; Hall, Phyllis; Stone, Lois; Metz, Mary Ann.

MISS KATHERINE GIBSON
History

MRS. LYDA MARSHALL
English

MRS. MABEL CLARE KNIGHT
English

MISS ETHEL BASINGER
Commerce

MRS. MABEL PARK
English

Never To Be Forgotten

MISS HELEN NORRIS
English

MR. ALONZO NORWOOD
Industrial Arts

MISS HELEN BOURKE
English

HI-Y

Hi-Y members pioneered this year, making their initial entrance in the field of politics at the statewide Youth and Government conference at the state capitol in Oklahoma City. Classen's representatives proposed a bill providing that all persons who drive automobiles shall be required to take a drivers' test every four years. These future legislators are in tune with the times.

Row 1, *left to right*: Naifeh, Alvin, secretary; McDougal, Pat, president; Rucks, Ronny. *Row* 2, Soule, George; Dorff, Mark; Good, Bobby; Smith, Harry. *Row* 3: Kunkel, Rogers, vice president; Terrill, Tom; Estes, Lloyd, sponsor.

MISS LUCILLE TANDY
English

Row 1: Oldham, Ira; Sherman, Wayne; Runyon, Elaine; Deen, Cameron, treasurer; Nichols, Joan, secretary; Rey, Charles, president; Kruger, Charles, vice president; Hann, Roy; Griffin, Joe; Jansson, Roland; Clark, Reba, sponsor. *Row* 2: McDonald, Carol; Affleck, Diane; Fleming, Pat; Rhoads, Jim; McMullen, Tom; Sivalls, Richard; Countryman, Fred; Bunch, Ralph; Kessler, Earl. *Row* 3: Ramsey, Dodie; Shawver, Merica; Wiley, Patricia; Metz, Mary Ann; Byers, Frances; Kruger, Bob; Sparks, Dick; Grabill, Jay: Wickens, Don; Abernathy, Jack. *Row* 4: Gandy, Carolyn; Clapp, Jimmy; Carr, Valdie; McKown, Dick; Harvey, Ralph; Lyon, Ed; Perkins, John; Sturm, Eddie; Horn, James; Mellick, John.

HONOR MATH

If you are going down the hall at 5 miles per hour and a hall procter approaches the corner at 5½ miles per hour — but why not turn your problem over to one of the members of Honor Math? Their mathematics record assures an accurate answer to most posers.

MISS BERNIECE GORDON
Mathematics

MRS. REBA CLARK
Mathematics

Put Your Best Figure Forward

MISS MARY PRUITT
Mathematics

MISS JULIA DENNY
Mathematics

MISS MARY CANTRELL
Commercial

COMMERCIAL CLUB

Commercial club members are modern apprentices who earn grades while they learn how the wheels of business revolve. They are distributive education students, and meet regularly to talk shop, relax and enjoy themselves.

MR. GENE GILMER
Mathematics

Row 1, *left to right*: Kelsoe, Yvonne, secretary; Holden, Norma, treasurer; Julian, Verna Little, treasurer; Kennedy, Beth, president; Prince, Shirley, president; Jarmon, JoAnn, vice president; McBride, Ruth, secretary: *Row* 2: Cantrell, Mary, sponsor; Walker, Ruth; French, Shirley; Turner, Lucretia; Chesher, Sue; Towe, Gwynne. *Row* 3: Gore, Sara; Sexton, Erlene; Jones, Catherine; Norten, Harriet; Kester, Rosemary; Hyden, Margaret; Cox, Gail.

BOYS "O" CLUB

Comprising the athletic strength of Classen's indoor and outdoor sports teams, are: *Row* 1: Key, Charles; Reed, Dan; Murphy, Tom; Meyers, Stewart; Hall, Dick; Ingram, Jim; Hoke, David; Perkins, Johnny; Sparks, Dick; Myers, Rabbit. *Row* 2: Colby, John; Harris, John; Spaan, Gary; Goodman, Max; Gulihur, Larry; St. Clair, Glen; Brown, Dan; Clayton, Joe; Kessler, Earl. *Row* 3: Spence, Ned; Maples, Ronnie; Rains, Kenneth; Smith, Bob; Spivey, Bill; Chance, Jay; Harvey, Ralph; Rose, David; Mines, Kenneth; Blakeburn, Van. *Row* 4: Couch, Harold; Day, Dick; Schwartz, Bob; Baxter, Don; Irby, Don; Ziegenfuss, Paul; Frazier, Jim; Christensen, Dal; Henry, John. *Row* 5: Worrell, Dick; Davidge, Doug; Crothers, Rene; Shaffer, Jack, Bartolino, Joe; Hart, Don; Bross, Jerry; Matthews, Kenneth; Johnson, Richard.

MR. REX IRWIN
Physical Education

MR. W. F. BYNUM
Physical Education

Working together and ultimately lettering for team work in competing with other schools are: *Row* 1: Barge, Barbara; Gentry, Dorotha; Kessler, Almeda; Cox, Gail; Runyon, Elaine; Grossman, Rosanna; Chesher, Sue. *Row* 2: Deffner, Norma; Smith, Margie; Stoldt, Sue; Clark, Charlyne; Pulley, Harriet, sponsor; Gaines, Kathryn, Keel, Wanda; Newton, Verree; Hyden, Margaret; Madole, Bernadine.

Be Proud of Your Body

GIRLS "O" CLUB

MRS. HARRIET PULLEY
Physical Education

MRS. JAN HEDRICK
Physical Education

Shining individually in the field of sports are, *Row* 1: Flynn, Roberta; Hess, Lurlene; Collins, Sue; Hairfield, Ann; Slaten, Shirley. *Row* 2: Mattis, Jarmila; Tunnell, Marrietta; Hedrick, Jan, sponsor; Manning, Judy; Wiggins, Elizabeth.

Row 1, *left to right*: Kelsoe, Yvonne; Byers, Frances; Rowland, Diane; Fleming, Pat; Littrell, Gloria; Jenkins, Eunice; Wilson, Faith; Kessee, Kon; Wright, Betty; Fuller, Tom; Rosenstahl, Harriet; Himelfarb, Faith; Allen, Nell. *Row* 2: Peck, Marilyn; McFadden, Betty; Countryman, Wanda; Martin, Clara; Aikman, Betty; Powell, Donna; Carithers, Ed; Hall, Ann; Wright, Carolyn; Meagher, Jean; Smith, Joellen; Vedder, Gretchen; Kerr, Ann. *Row* 3: Tucker, Elaine, sponsor; Reeves, Carol; Green, Virginia; Jones, Marilyn; Martin, Nancy; May, Ralph; Scott, Harry; Axtell, Carolee; Williams, Carolyn; Hurst, Carol; Penny, Margaret; Ferguson, Bobbie; Mattis, Jarmila; Phillips, Marian, sponsor. *Row* 4: Johnson, Laura; Evans, Pat; Kent, Mary; Durkee, Gwen; Minter, Myrl; Dobson, Page; Caughron, John; Losey, Margaret; Dill, Elizabeth; Schuster, Elaine; Wright, Phyllis; Reddick, Roberta; Kidd, Gerald, sponsor.

MRS. ELAINE TUCKER
Speech

LITTLE THEATRE

It takes a lot of faithful work on speech projects and in school plays to earn the 20 points necessary for membership in Understudies, bottom picture. The next step for these fledglings will be membership in Little Theatre. Here you run the acting gamut from ham to comedy to lofty dramatics. But when play casting time rolls around, it takes but a snap of the fingers to get a full size dress production underway.

MR. GERALD KIDD
Speech

MRS. MARIAN PHILLIPS
Speech

UNDERSTUDIES

Row 1, *left to right*: Cornett, Mary Kay; Morgan, Lillian; Dodson, Shirley; Harrison, Joyce; Hawkins, Darla; Wilkinson, Carole Jean; Taylor, Kaye; Huffman, Marsha; Oldfield, Karen; Lafferty, Virginia. *Row* 2: Dennis, Carol Lee; Harrison, Judy; Prichard, Pat; Shorbe, Janyce; Appleton, Joyce; Scheele, Mary Jane; Turner, Lucretia; Diwoky, Susan; Forrester, Penny. *Row* 3: Cross, Carolyn Sue; Conner, Pat; Humble, Carolyn; Burton, Carolyn; Lynn, Ann; Jones, Donna; Hollaway, Dolores; McDowell, Mary Jane; Robertson, Kay. *Row* 4: Pickett, Gayle; Gordon, Joan; Hall, Mary; Johnson, Laura; Webber, Bob; Flemming, David; Schwartz, Paul; Naifeh, Alvin.

Easy Way To

Row 1: Skinner, Rosemary; Browne, Virgil; Britton, Bud; Terrill, Tom; Costley, Dan; Burns, Beverly. *Row 2:* Sherman, Wayne; Massad, Don; Wilhoite, Fred; Messenger, Harold; Hoover, Jake; Karam, Jerry. *Row 3:* Kidd, Gerald, sponsor; Janger, Steve; Powers, Jim; Dorff, Mark; Good, Bobby. *Row 4:* Matthews, Doug; Morkin, Gene; Zellner, Carl.

DEBATERS

We Classenites beat the drum with a noticeable lack of modesty when our orators grabbed the spotlight by carrying off first place in the national contest in Los Angeles, Calif. After that, winning honors in the state might have been anticlimactic except that those blue ribbons are just as exciting to thespians as are national trophies.

NATIONAL THESPIANS

We earned nine points apiece through our work in school plays to merit membership in National Thespians, top acting honor organization at Classen. We're at the top here, but instead of being satisfied, we're eager to be on our way to the big time, thanks to the inspiration provided by Thespians.

Row 1, left to right: Littrell, Gloria; Wilson, Faith; Jenkins, Eunice; Keesee, Kon; Wright, Betty. *Row 2:* Skinner, Rosemary; Simmons, Pat; Hurst, Carol; Hall, Ann; Himelfarb, Faith; Shields, Susan; Aikman, Betty; Allen, Nell. *Row 3:* Thompson, Ronny; Kelsoe, Yvonne; Smith, Joellen; Powell, Donna; Axtell, Carolee; Byers, Frances; Tucker, Elaine, sponsor. *Row 4:* Scott, Harry; Jones, Marilyn; Kerr, Ann; Caughron, John; Lea, Bill; Martin, Nancy; Schwartz, Paul; Minter, Myrl.

Row 1, left to right: McCall, Joanne; Jones, Marilyn; Green, Virginia; Cox, Everett; Reeves, Carol; Carithers, Ed; Wright, Betty; Keesee, Kon. *Row 2:* Hurst, Carol; Wilson, Faith; Losey, Margaret; Schuster, Elaine; Dyche, Janie; Rosenstahl, Harriet; Schwartz, Paul. *Row 3:* Mann, Monty; Harris, Jan; Kerr, Ann; Speck, James; Jenkins, Eunice; Fuller, Tom; Himelfarb, Faith. *Row 4:* Wehb[illegible] Dale; Applequist, Jack; Lea, Bill; Starr, Terry.

ANNOUNCERS CLUB

Classen's new radio station, KOKH-FM, broadcast this year for the first time. All Oklahoma City schools with sound systems listen to daily broadcasts from our smart, modern studio here. The 3,000 watt station is controlled by vocational radio students. Programs are the result of school work, while our own "talent" supplies the voices. Chief among these are members of the Announcers club. Members have been talking in clover since the station went on the air.

Entertain

Row 1, *left to right*: May, Ralph; Matthew, Doug; Dorff, Mark; Skinner, Rosemary; Wright, Betty. *Row* 2: Elaine, Tucker, sponsor; Hurst, Carol; Byers, Frances; Axtell, Carolee; Aikman, Betty; Hall, Ann; Burns, Beverly; Allen, Nell. *Row* 3: Sherman, Wayne; Browne, Virgil; Kelsoe, Yvonne; Smith, Joellen; Hoover, Jake; Jenkins, Eunice; Dobson, Page; Gerald, Kidd; sponsor. *Row* 4: Janger, Steve; Morkin, Gene; Zellner, Carl; Schwartz, Paul; Wilson, Faith; Keesee, Kon.

NATIONAL FORENSIC

Outstanding in the field of speech — that's what National Forensic League signifies. These boys and girls actively participate wherever they are needed, whether it be a stage production, radio show or oratory contest. As members of National Forensic, they must be able to perform in any phase of speech work at the high school level.

The Voice of America

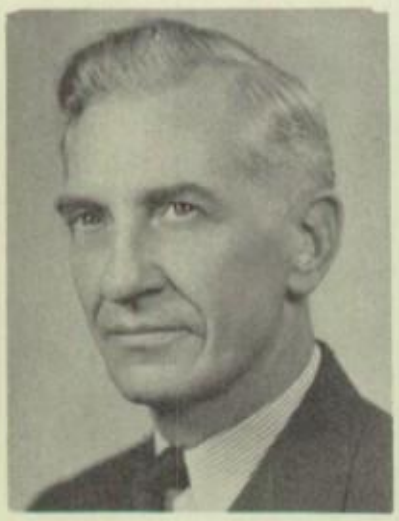
STAGE CRAFT

Sweep the floor, move furniture, change scenery — all in a few minutes, behind the curtain, while an expectant audience enjoys an intermission show. Yes, our stage crew is the power behind the power, for without its help our plays and assemblies would not come off with split second accuracy.

MR. THOMAS NICHOLS
Stagecraft

Row 1, *left to right*: Wysong, Charles; Minter, Myrl; Naifeh, Alvin. *Row* 2: Holt, Larry; Bugg, Jerry; St. Clair, Glen; Nichols, Thomas, sponsor; Kennedy, Lee.

Our counselors help us with school problems, such as schedule changes, aptitude tests and all-round adjustment. They go out of their way, too, to help us with personal guidance outside the schoolroom. Because of them, we are better prepared to meet a world full of complexities.



MR. GEORGE W. BRUCHER
Head Counselor

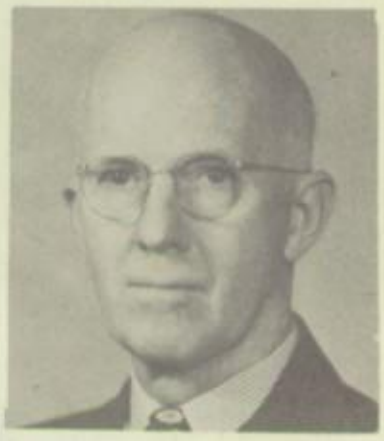
MISS RETHA WAVE HULET
Dean of Girls

MISS INEZ ELLIS
Aptitude Testing

MR. DUANE WEINERT
Student Council Sponsor

INDUSTRIAL ARTS

With a shoproom all their own, these boys have a grand time turning out work of a practical nature. They can gauge their own abilities as future draftsmen, coopers or mechanics.



MR. FRANK McKEE
Industrial Arts

MR. JAMES HICKS
Industrial Arts

Feast for the Eyes

ART NOUVEAU

Painting posters or working in oils, it's all the same to members of Art Nouveau, who are proficient in all phases of their subject. *Row* 1: Estes, Shirley; Gordon, Barbara, seargeant at arms; Collins, Sue; Dykes, Margaret; Wolf, Theresa, vice president; Gaines, Kathryn, president; Henderson, Margaret, secretary; Wright, Betty; Reynolds, Barbara; Cline, Eleanor; Dean, Diane; Dorr, Clyde; Naifeh, Alvin. *Row* 2: Lewis, Mary Lamb, sponsor; Hentzen, Maxine; Hazel, Phyllis; Grubb, Ann; Eacock, Jane; Garrett, Gay; Lewallen, Sandra; Harris, Diann; Foster, Martha; Elliot, James; White, Marilyn; Moore, Myrna. *Row* 3: Oldfield, Karen; Gordon, Joan; McBride, Ruth; Pritchard, Pat; Bennett, Ann; Tunnell, Marrietta; Myren, Susie; Fraley, Ann; Ellison, Robert; Thompson, Sally; Whitten, Jayna; Risen, Henrie Bea. *Row* 4: Grimsley, Jerry; Sims, Don; Williams, Deborah; Williams, Norma; Rice, Mildred; Starr, Terry; Schuessler, Kipp; Patric, Marilyn; Miller, Sallie; Jordon, Frances.

MISS MARY LAMB LEWIS
Art

NATIONAL ART HONOR SOCIETY

These girls and boys have done their shining in the field of art, applying their talent to bring national recognition. You see their work in the Orbit, on campaign and advertising posters, and on exhibition in the halls. *Row* 1: Lewis, Mary Lamb, sponsor; Hart, Frances; Scott, Shirley. *Row* 2: Schuessler, Kipp; Tunnell, Marrietta; Gaines, Kathryn; Clow, Cynthia. *Row* 3: Lea, Bill.

MRS. GERALDINE BUZBEE
Science

SCIENCE CLUB

Science club members discuss everything from the atom to zymase in their meetings. Left to right, they are:

Row 1: Albrecht, Bob, sergeant at arms; Rey, Charles, vice president; Wooten, Joline, president; Ellison, Robert, treasurer; Soule, George, reporter; Collins, Larry, secretary. *Row* 2: Bradley, Howard, parliamentarian; Morris, Donna; Affleck, Diane; Sherman, Wayne; Buzbee, Geraldine, sponsor. *Row* 3: Batchelor, John; Fearnow, Dick; Gandy, Carolyn, historian; Mullikin, Albert; Osborn, Jere; Nelson, Bob; Foster, Bob. *Row* 4: Buchanan, James; Snyder, Ralph; Rose, John; Jones, Edward; Tech, Jack; Flemming, Betty K.

MR. JOHN M. PADEN
Science

MR. CARL J. SHAFER
Science

MR. LEJOY D. FORD
Science

When Dreams Are In The

MISS BETH WEST
Distributive Education

DISTRIBUTIVE EDUCATION

The time to start selling our abilities is while we are still in high school. In Distributive Education we go to school part time, and work part time for school credit. In this way we get a delicious taste of the workaday world, at the same time creating liaison between student and employer.

Row 1, *left to right*: Long, Bill; Robinson, Barbara; Shearer, Dow; Adair, Martha; Pursley, Donald; West, Beth, sponsor. *Row* 2: Carroll, Bobby; Waters, Corine; Kelbourne, Margaret; McKennis, Georgia; Eighmy, Beth; Rusk, Mary Jo; Ferree, Martha. *Row* 3: Hamm, Irene; Nicholl, Robert; Curtis, Rosemary; Ward, Charlie; Ward, Edel; Haley, Leonard; Hamm, Colene; Brown, Bill. *Row* 4: Atteberry, Lou Ellen; Chupack, Sidney; Brammer, Richard; Bramlett, David; Hollander, Larry; Easley, Bill; Johnston, Gordon; Hamilton, June.

MR. W. L. BRADDOCK
Distributive Education

Row 1: Johnston, Nancy; Spencer, Shirley; Barnhill, John; Good, Carolyn; Lewinsohn, Nancy; Noell, Carolyn; Riley, Susie; Rose, David; Graening, Gretchen, Burruss, Mary Jane. *Row* 2: Staley, Nina; Lane, Elizabeth; Kirchner, Joyce; Saulsberry, Carol; McMahan, Beth; Jeppe, Covar; Aikman, Betty; Littrell, Gloria. *Row* 3: Symonds, Dyan; Link, Della, sponsor; Ireland, Deborah; Davis, Sandra; Peek, Carolyn; Montgomery, Lou Ann; McMinn, Jan; Stanley, Suzanne; Yoes, Jimmy; Lekas, Tommy. *Row* 4: Lyon, Eddie; Day, Dick; Meyers, Stewart; Thompson, Ralph; Sparks, Dick; Sorenson, Dick; Finney, Jim; Webber, Bob.

COURTESY CLUB

"May I help you locate your seats?" And a neatly dressed Courtesy club member helps a man and woman to their proper chairs at a Sunday concert. Organized to perform just such services, members usher for all school events, and lend invaluable assistance at P-TA meetings and faculty parties.

MISS DELLA LINK
English

Making

Y-TEENS

Classen Y-Teens have carried off a number of unsung triumphs this year in their quiet way, helping others and supporting religious and social projects. These girls constitute an auxiliary to the Hi-Y organization. They have fun, too. One of the most colorful dances of the year was the Y-Teen Sweetheart dance, when C. L. Wilmott was named Sweetheart for 1952 .

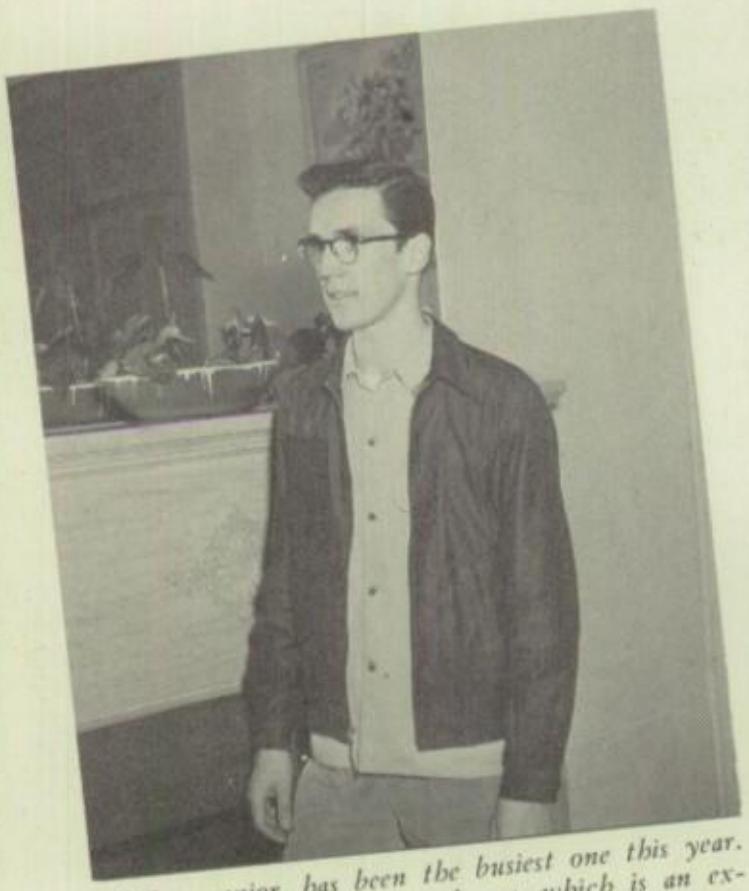
MRS. ESTELLE CUNNINGHAM
Language

Row 1, *left to right*: Stanton, Doris, parliamentarian; Campbell, Vicki, sergeant at arms; Glasgow, Alice, vice president; Brower, Meredith, secretary. *Row* 2: Hart, Nellyne; Odle, Virginia; Arnold, Patte Jean. *Row* 3: Cunningham, Estelle, sponsor; George, Elaine. *Row* 4: Mullins, Carol; Hensch, Kathryn; McCalister, Mary Loy; Crain, Catherine.
Not Pictured: Ryden, Virginia, president; Lynch, Norma, treasurer; McDonald, Yvonna.

To Bert
Wishing you a
boy with a
wonderful personality
Best of Luck at D.U.
Pat Jeter

CHOIR

Alto, tenor, soprano and bass—put them all together and you have the harmony of voice which characterizes Classen's choir. These richly-garbed A Cappella members have brought our school honors both in state and national songfests.



Bill Lea, senior, has been the busiest one this year. He has held the choir presidency, which is an exacting task in itself, but also has managed to be tops in cheerleading and carry the editorship of Orbit.

Truly A

The Madrigal Chorus is composed of outstanding A choir members. This group, under direction of Mr Cornelius, is sought for special events, such as symp concerts, musical shows and for entertainment befor organizations. Members are, *Row* 1, *left to right*: C Yeats, Carol Jean Wilkinson, Lois Stone, Claude *Row* 2: Jim Lanman, Mary Ann Metz, Marian Brown, McLemore, Caryl Niles, Billy Littleton. *Row* 3: Richard Philip Holmes, Byron Lamun, Dick Morrison.

Row 1, *left to right*: Burbridge, Bobbie Jean; Hart, Jo Ellen; White, Arthetta; Yeats, Cynthia; Metz, Mary Ann; Nicholas, Marilyn; Kenyon, Barbara; Bernard, Donna; Wilkinson, Carol Jean; Niles, Caryl; Hyde, Helen; Jones, Wiltoma; Hayes, Leah; Sherman, Beverly; Davis, Carolynn. *Row* 2: Paden, Martha; Pappio, Barbara; Durkee, Gwen; Snoddy, Shirley; Beasley, Margaret; Martin, Nancy; Thomas, Sara; Jones, Gail; Hathaway, Ann; Kuhn, Lyndall; McDonald, Gayle; Ramsey, Dodie; Wiggins, Liz; Latham, Dorothy. *Row* 3: Davis, Marilynn; Wright, Marilyn; Hayes, Richard; Keil, Conrad; Nelson, Don; Lanman, Jim; Bray, Don; Feldshaw, Bill; Holmes, Philip; Belt, John; Magers, Roy; Pendleton, Claude; Lea, Bill; Setzer, Sherrill. *Row* 4: Cornelius, Merl, sponsor; McKinney, Lewis; Littleton, Bill; Francis, Dick; Starr, Terry; Swindell, Albert; Morrison, Dick; Lamun, Byron; McClelland, Chuck; Harris, Claude; Whalen, Mike; Fuller, Jary; Stone, Lois.

Miracle of Music

Mr. Merl Cornelius in three short years has trained Classen's A Cappella choir so well that the choir often is called upon to appear before civic groups, and to supply background music for stage productions. Mr. Cornelius also handles the Madrigal Chorus.

BAND

A thrill goes through every one of us when we see the Classen band marching triumphantly in parades and on the field, and they also hold us rapt when playing on the stage in concert, resplendent in uniform and braid. Hours of practice, some of it on students' own time, are worth the honors our band always carries away at local and regional events.

Charles

Mr. Arthur Johnson deserves credit for the consistently fine performances given throughout the year by Classen's band, both on the field and in concert.

Row 1, *left to right*: Schwartz, Bobby; Mullikin, Albert; Waldie, Sam; Underwood, Jim Le Van, Gerry; Chatburn, Helen; Wiley, Pat; Voris, Wanda; Spurlock, Carmelita; Hudso Cloma; Moreland, Marjorie; Stewart, Anna Lee; Soule, George; Wolf, Theresa. *Row* Green, Charles; Kunkel, Roger; Morgan, Lenore; Weaver, Joe; Pedrick, John; Brow Travis; Morrison, Dick; Brown, Bill; Louis, Roger; Wilson, Mary Lou; Elliot, Jame Bell, Bruce; Myers, Lynn; Guffy, Ted; Bittle, Darrell; Potts, David. *Row* 3: Collin Larry; Smith, Bob; Harmett, Larry; Shirley, Dick; Malone, Kent; Jones, Ed; Hut Jimmy; Deen, Cameron; Massad, Donald; Brown, Harold; Pendleton, Claude; Shin Don; Holiday, Jerry; Whitten, Kenneth; Nelson, Bob; Henners, Bill; Hudson, Charle Robertson, Larry; Wickens, Donald. *Row* 4: Hayes, Russell; Busch, Larry; Huey, Verno Crews, Norman; Mackey, Richard; Henry, Jim; Albrecht, Bob; Ellet, Charles; McInn Bill; Osburn, Jere; Smith, Dick; Morris, Marilyn; Lamun, Byron; Sims, Don; Jobe, Charl Glomset, John; Appelquist, Jack; Sherman, Wayne; Brainard, Larry; Wickens, Ronal *Row* 5: Davis, Seymour; Johnson, Arthur; Fox, Tom; Hart, Milburn; Lanman, Jim.

No Other

SOONERS

Mr. Oakley Pittman, former Classen bandmaster, organized a swing band in 19 The group, later named the Sooners, made its debut at a mixer. Since that year t Sooners have been an asset to many school functions. The syncopated blues floating abo at mixers and proms is a standard of the Sooners. Sooners is offered now as a cl Mr. Arthur Johnson teaches the group.

Our pep rallies would fall flat without the tah rah rah boom-de-ay of the Pep Band. We drum our fingers and pat our feet in time with the rhythm of the young men with horns. This is definitely a bracer for school spirit.

Row 1, left to right: Shinn, Don; Wickens, Donald; Lanman, Jim; Bittle, Darrell. *Row 2:* Weaver, Joe; Henry, Jim; Smith, Bob. *Row 3:* Davis, Seymour; Jobe, Charles; Osburn, Jere; Kunkel, Roger; Mackey, Richard; Sherman, Wayne.

PEP BAND

Like It

John Barnhill, piano; Jim Lanman, bass, and Tom Fox, drums, compose the rhythm section. Norman Crews, Roger Kunkel, Bob Schwartz and Richard Mackey play saxophones. David Potts, Larry Robertson and Bill Henners play trumpets. Ronald Wickens plays trombone. Bobbie Jean Burbridge is the vocalist.

Row 1: Mrs. Lyda Marshall, sponsor; Shawver, Merica; Bessett, Herwanna; Jeter, Pat; Sutherlin, Charlotte; Riley, Suzie; Noell, Carolyn; Jones, Ernestine; Flanagan, Ann; Ware, Jenny; Bollinger, Geraldine. *Row* 2: Clayton, Mary; Buchanan, Barbara; Hoyle, Louise; Morris, Donna; Gardner, Mary Ruth; Kester, Rosemary; Hand, Dorothy; Harris, Margaret; Peek, Carolyn; Rardin, Nancy; Shields, Susan. *Row* 3: Skinner, Rosemary; Reeves, Carol; Good, Carolyn; Johnston, Nancy; Maidt, Marilyn; Warnick, Margaret; Lane, Elizabeth; Lewinsohn, Nancy; Jones, Katheryn; Metz, Mary Ann. *Row* 4: Wooton, Joline; Spencer, Shirley; Collinson, Janet; Pitney, Celia; Berry, Susie; Stevens, Sandra; Landon, Pauline; Jenkins, Eunice. *Not Pictured*: Miss Mary Pruitt, sponsor.

Danny and Deanne Major, Mascots, have that Comes spirit.

COMES

Harriet Glen

Row 1: Jeppe, Covar; Stanley, Suzaane; Spencer, Shirley; Shawver, Merica; Bessett, Herwanna; Jeter, Pat; Noell, Carolyn; Ware, Jenny; Jones, Ernestine; McMahan, Beth. *Row* 2: Thompson, Sally; Humphreys, Orpha; Meagher, Jean; Kenney, Gayle; Sherman, Beverly; White, Arthetta; Klopfenstein, Jonnie; Abernathy, Sandra; Freeland, Janice; Suggs, Shirley; Hayes, Leah Rae. *Row* 3: Clark, Charlyne; Pruner, Pat; Smith, Margie; Hyden, Margaret; Axtell, Carolee; Ferrin, Miriam; McKenzie, Emma; Stanton, Doris; Otey, Carolyn; Austin, Eleanor; Brown, Marion. *Row* 4: Carol, Carolyn; Puckett, Pat; Smart, Judy; Buchanan, Alice; Deen, Patsy; Davis, Ann; Mattis, Jarmila; Rosenstahl, Harriet; Lovejoy, Carolyn; Highleyman, Ginger.

Row 1, *left to right*: Kirchner, Joyce; George, Donna; Puckett, Carol; Mulvey, Pat; Thompson, Phyllis; Coffey, Paula; Mooney, Mariella; Dyche, Janie; Lebenson, Suzanne; Inge, Nancy; Whitten, Jayna; Butler, Janice; McNutt, Sandra; Wilkinson, Carole Jean. *Row* 2: Fowler, Carolyn; Burbridge, Barbara; Sharp, Sudie; Johns, Ramah; Losey, Margaret; Schuster, Elaine; Dodson, Shirley Ann; Allen, Jan; Baird, Phyllis; James, La Vonne; Hostetter, Rae Estelle; Gordon, Joan; Hill, Joyce; Sharp, Carole Sue. *Row* 3: Risen, Henrie Bea; Fowler, Ellen; Lydick, Carolyn; Maxwell, Betty Jane; Jordan, Francis; Myren, Suzie; Morgan, Lillian; Harrison, Joyce; Harrison, Judy; Reddick, Roberta; Sutherland, Sylvia; Howe, Lucinda. *Row* 4: Hopkins, Jackie; Bowlin, Anne; Sadler, Gloria; Stovall, Jean; Jones, Patsy; Brown, Sally; Denham, Pat; Graham, La Rue; Auer, Lavita; Willard, Io; Ferguson, Bobbie; Peterson, Becky; Snell, Virginia.

Geraldine Bollinger and Ann Davis encourage the Comes to "be a little prouder!"

Comes, Classen's first girls' pep club, are responsible for much of the vocal support at school sports activities. Strict attendance is observed by these loyal supporters, who give a football banquet plus mixers and picnics during the year.

Row 1, *left to right*: Puscha, Shelby; Burton, Carolyn; Odle, Virginia; Speck, Carolyn; Dey, Aileen; Evans, Pat; Foster, Martha; Reynolds, Barbara; Rolland, Sylvia; Jones, Carolyn; Cooper, Margery; Lander, Sandra; Wright, Phyllis; Fraley, Ann; Hendricks, Arline. *Row* 2: Dennis, Carol Lee; Morgan, Lenore; Ainsworth, Judy; Bendorf, Allen; Dill, Elizabeth; Lynn, Ann; Gray, Beverly; Holloway, Margaret; Peek, Dolly; McCallister, Mary Lou; Grindstaff, Martha; Keller, Carol; Nagel, Christina; Forrester, Penny; Appleton, Joyce. *Row* 3: Wilson, Suzie; Reed, Ila Lee; Coontz, Judy; Bennett, Ann; Prichard, Pat; Hyde, Hyla; Shorbe, Janyce; Schem, Charlene; Diwoky, Susan; McFadden, Betty; Spencer, Ann; Cravens, Dorothy; Hentzen, Maxine; Neel, Nancy. *Row* 4: Johnson, Laura; Lafferty, Virginia; Campbell, Vicki; Thompson, Mary; Hines, Barbara; Williams, Deborah; Huffman, Marsha; Robertson, Kay; Whitten, Ann; Kane, Sally; Burney, Jo Anne; Frank, Barbara; Smith, Sandra.

Suzanne Stanley and Covar Jeppe say the Comes have girls who are on the beam.

Row 1, *left to right*: Hicks, James; Sorenson, Dick; McKown, Dick; Key, Charles; Jones, Ernestine; Kruger, Charles; Brown, Travis; Knezek, Ed; Rhoads, Jimmy; Sprankle, Philip. *Row* 2: Deen, Cameron; Stone, Larry; Green, Charles; Bross, Jerry; Shoebotham, Tom; Grabill, Jay; Lanman, Jim; Potts, Dav'd; Fox, Tom; England, Collis, sponsor. *Row* 3: Wacker, Wolf; Davis, Seymour; Cox, Everett; Myers, Lynn; Wickens, Ronald; Smith, Don; Pugh, Alfred; Wickens, Donald. *Row* 4: Kunkel, Roger; Swindell, Albert; Kroutil, Robert; Starr, Terry; Morrison, Dick; Henners, Bill; Hiatt, Richard; Pedrick, John; Robertson, Larry.

BLUE JACKETS

The initial boys' pep club at Classen, a going concern since 1925, spearheads a number of school social events, cheer at all Classen team tilts and brace school spirit. Their most elaborate fete is coronation of the Blue Jacket queen at a Thanksgiving dance.

Row 1: Hicks, James; Kunkel, Roger; Kruger, Bob; Brown, Travis; Kruger, Charles; Jones, Ernestine; Fox, Tom; Green, Charles; Potts, David; Knezek, Ed; Key, Charles; Green, Charles; England, Collis, sponsor. *Row* 2: Sturm, George; Weaver, Joe; Batchelor, John; Hoover, Jake; Denison, Gail; Browne, Virgil; Dobson, Page; Matthews, Doug; Crews, Norman; Gieb, John; Smith, Anthony. *Row* 3: Hart, Milburn; Wolfe, Bruce; Nelson, Don; Costley, Dan; Osburn, Jere; Zellner, Carl; Lamun, Byron; McClelland, Chuck; Holiday, Jerry; Van Nort, Jerry; May, Ralph. *Row* 4: Randall, David; Brabits, William; Miller, C. F.; Cary, Homer; Cochran, Bruce; Gere, Giles; Terrill, Tom; LaFollette, Dan; Porch, Stanley; Nienhaus, David.

Row 1: Hicks, James; Rice, Jimmy; Bittle, Darrell; Webber, Bob; Jones, Earnestine; Hough, Hammet; Wolf, J. R.; Mosley, Joe; England, Collis, sponsor. *Row* 2: Smith, Bob; Wagner, Eddie; Busch, Larry; Hefley, Joel; Schwartz, Paul; Magers, Roy; Lee, Phil; Birdwell, Don; Sailer, Jack; Thompson, Brad. *Row* 3: Garrett, Joe; Mullikin, Albert; Bell, Bruce; Shinn, Don; Jones, Edward; Williford, Jim; Flanagan, Jim; Meyers, Stewart. *Row* 4: Walters, Harold; Britton, Bud; Dacus, Ken; Griffy, Ted; Fryer, Sam; Owen, Bill; Burnell, Dan; Hanson, Kent; Remington, Don.

Travis Brown, pledge master, is prepared to give Jim Rice a lift off the ground. Looking on are Wolf Wacker, Jim Flanagan, Ed Wagner, Ed Knezek and Bob Kruger

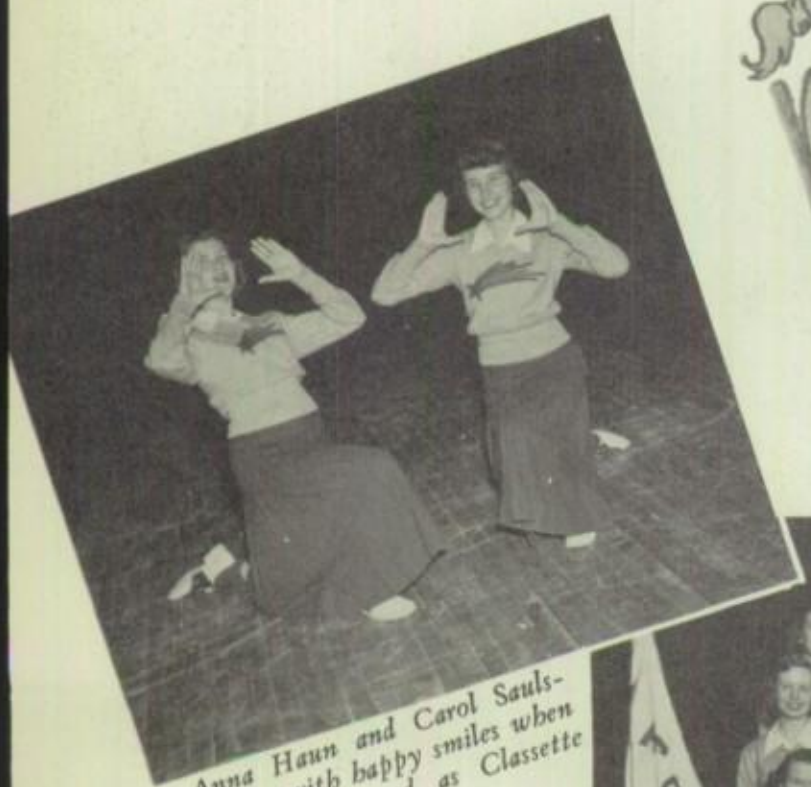
Ernestine Jones exhibits the paddle, corsage and jacket presented to her when she was named Blue Jacket queen.

Don Smith

The Blue Jackets are a yelling, whistling bunch. When they hold meeting on Thursday the building fairly shakes with boisterous amusement.

Row 1, *left to right*: Byars, Ophelia, sponsor; Naifeh, Jeanette; Sorrenson, Sue; Wolf, Theresa; Adair, Betty, vice president; Morris, Margaret, president; Newton, Verree, treasurer; Hoover, Jean, secretary; Dykes, Margaret; Mateer, Pat, reporter; Aikman, Betty, sergeant at arms; Moore, Toby; Graves, Georgia; Littrell, Gloria; Gallamore, Carol. *Row* 2: Pulley, Harriet, sponsor; Walker, Ruth; Gore, Sara, parliamentarian; Fitch, Nancy; Grubb, Ann; Eacock, Jane; Clark, Judy; Branham, Georgia; Slaten, Shirley; Gibson, Gill; Gandy, Carolyn; Bodenheimer, Ramona; Urban, Norma. *Row* 3: Casteel, Leoneita; McBride, Ruth; McMurphy, Kathryn; Lynn, Cion; Grimsley, Bethyl; Byrum, Jean Ellen; Anderson, Phyllis; Rudolph, Carolyn; Thornham, Suzan; Thomas, Sara; Penny, Margaret; Priddy, Louise. *Row* 4: Carter, Helen; Young, Pat; Jones, Karen; Douglas, Jilda; Hopper, Eleanor; Price, Jane; Niles, Caryl; Hart, Jo Ellen; Mullins, Carol; Hensch, Kathryn; Danielson, Gail; Haun, Jo Anna.

With a rah, with a rah, plead Jo Anna Haun and Betty Akman, Classette's cheerleaders for the fall of '52.



Jo Anna Haun and Carol Saulsberry give with happy smiles when they are introduced as Classette cheerleaders for '52.

Row 1, *left to right*: Sorrenson, Sue; Graves, Georgia; Wolf, Theresa; Hoover, Jean; Morris, Margaret; Adair, Betty; Newton, Verree; Clark, Judy; Aikman, Betty; Burmeister, Mary; Rowland, Diane; Fleming, Pat; Lundy, Etolia; Smith, Shirley; Head, Patricia. *Row* 2: Kessler, Almeda; Byers, Frances; Kelsoe, Yvonne; Pickett, Gayle; Scheele, Mary Jane; Turner, Lucretia; Hodges, Alice; Lewallen, Sandra; Garrett, Gay; Miller, Sallie; Patric, Marilyn; Nelson, Jimmye; Kenyon, Barbara. *Row* 3: Ogden, Connie; Harris, Joyce; Snoddy, Shirley; Miller, Jerry; Hughes, Sondra; Owen, Patricia; Gillespie, Beverly; Haun, Jo Anna; Jones, Wiltoma; Stoldt, Sue; Peck, Marilyn; Wagner, Maytha; Priddy, Louise. *Row* 4: Belzung, Paula; Meehan, Patsy; Moreland, Marjorie; Hudson, Judy; Harris, Diann; Veech, Jan; Harvey, Wanda; Fleming, Betty; Collins, Joyce; Powell, Donna; Wright, Carolyn; Smith, Joellen; Townley, Ann.

Row 1: Roetker, Louise; Wallace, Wanda; Haness, Kay; Eichor, Barbara; Colville, Norma; Sexton, Clydene; Caulkins, Janice; Snipes, Donna; Samara, Nadia; Shadid, Yevonne; Dearing, Jeanne; Mullenix, Carolyn; Clow, Cynthia; Saulsberry, Carol; Lawrence, Donna. *Row* 2: McGuire, Shirley; Fullerton, Ava Lee; Mahaffy, Marcelyn; Glasgow, Alice; Brower, Meredith; Cooley, Ansoleah; Dohe, Marion; Kent, Mary; Davis, Sandra; Neff, Tinker; Kitchens, Wanita; Hall, Mary. *Row* 3: Murray, Barbara; Butler, Carol; Countryman, Wanda; Brooks, Nancy; Hamilton, Joan; Howland, Jeanne; Poindexter, Jacque; Hill, Mary; Watters, Jeannine; Jezek, Betty; Strickland, Kagay. *Row* 4: McMillan, Muriel; Wright, Pat; Neuffer, Kay; Grimsley, Jerre; Williams, Norma; Greenhaw, Bobbie Jean; Cupp, Elaine; Rice, Mildred; Oden, Barbara; Timmons, Carol; Le Blanc, Judy; Oldfield, Karen; Hall, Lila; Bomar, Loralyn.

CLASSETTES

The place was a beehive of activity this spring, when Classettes girls' pep club staged its annual banquet honoring the basketball team. It takes more than a cold, bitter wind, and even rain or snow, to keep these rooters away from Classen games.

Jerry and Jimmy Miller, mascots, strike a familiar pose.

Row 1: Smith, Judy; Miller, Gay; Browning, Jeannine; Silvernail, Carol; Cheatham, Mary Lou; Bonham, Pat; Freel, Sally; Morris, Carol; Smith, Joyce; George, Elaine; Gallaspy, Myralin. *Row* 2: Ragland, Carolyn; Chatburn, Carolyn; Ragland, Sue; Culbert, Alison; Davis, Bettyanne; McDonald, Margaret; Cross, Carolyn; Crain, Catherine; Lawson, Beverly; McDowell, Mary Jane. *Row* 3: Brown, Delores; Dunham, Patty; Yeats, Cynthia; Williams, Carolyn; Sikes, Wenona; Singleton, Mary Jane; Eshelman, Sue; Keetch, Betty; Bressie, Barbara; Hawkins, Darla; Brock, Peggy; Dyer, Kay. *Row* 4: Crutcher, Rosie; Kline, Claudette; Hairfield, Ann; Conner, Pat; McDonald, Gayle; Wiggins, Liz; Hall, Mary; Davis, Marilyn; Davis, Carolynn; Hoover, Susan; Wright, Marilyn; Taylor, Kaye.

Row 1, *left to right*: Gilmer, Gene, sponsor; Ballard, Oscar, sergeant at arms; Jarmon, Grid, sergeant at arms; Bartolino, Joe, vice president; Crutcher, Rosie, queen; Castle, Ronnie, president; McDougal, Pat, parliamentarian; Woolery, Lewis, sergeant at arms; Taylor, Scott, sergeant at arms. *Row* 2: Oldham, Ira; Massad, Don; McCall, Bill; Henry, Jim; Rucks, Ronnie; Abbott, Bill; Bagwell, Larry; Mitchell, Harry; Sivalls, Richard; Weaver, Richard; Abernathy, Jack. *Row* 3: Carithers, Edward; Mackey, Richard; Galbraith, John; Keil, Conrad; Littleton, Bill; Roberts, Herby; Feldshaw, Bill; Thomas, Bob; Steddum, Bill; Dodson, Ronnie; Good, Bobby; Harris, Claude; Fuller, Jay.

METEORS

With the enthusiasm of a young club, Meteors show an unbeatable spirit and set an excellent example of good sportsmanship, one of Classen's basic ideals. Organized in 1946, Meteors sponsor several dances, picnics and hayrack rides during the year.

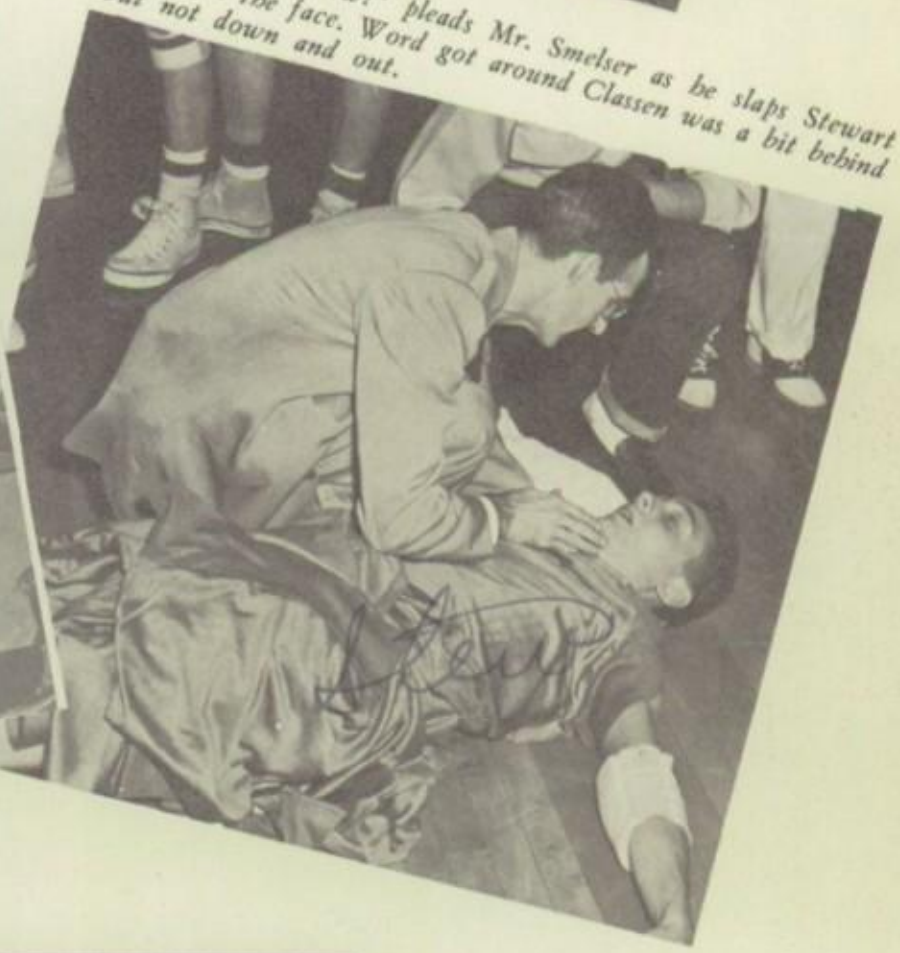
Row 1:, *left to right*: Gilmer, Gene, sponsor; Good, Bobby, Parliamentarian; Messenger, Harold, sergeant at arms; Jarmon Grid, secretary; Castle, Ronnie, treasurer; Crutcher, Rosie, Queen; Bartolino, Joe, president; Roberts, Herb, historian; McDougal, Pat, sergeant at arms; Dodson, Ronnie, sergeant at arms. *Row* 2: Ellet, Charles; Huey, Vernon; McWilliams, Jerry Dean; Miller, Don; Perkins, Charles; Ballard, Keith; Bergmann, Jack; Bass, Don; Riddell, Dan; Carr, Jim. *Row* 3: Bohannon, Joe; Brite, Coy; Lindsey, Richard; Stone, Robert; Louis, Roger; Williams, Dean; Karam, Jerry; Coulter, Jimmy; Bradburn, Frank; Barnes, Eddie.

Hal Whitten, Jenny Ward and Rene Crothers have the clue to a happy, if not Cola filled, school life.

"Didn't know shedding shoes was part of the job," laugh cheerleaders Carol Gallamore, Gloria Littrell and Georgia Graves.

Watch the birdie boys, one, two, three, cheese.

"Speak to me Stew!" pleads Mr. Smelser as he slaps Stewart Meyers in the face. Word got around Classen was a bit behind but not down and out.



Queens should always come in pairs. Rosemary Crutcher, 1952 Meteor queen, and Nadine Gray, '51 queen, look at Rosie's paddle and rose bouquet at the annual Meteor Christmas formal.

JUST FOR FUN

COACHMAN

The Boy Everyone Likes

DANNY McNATT

President of The Student Council

The Star of The Show
GEORGIA GRAVES
Orbit Queen

She Must Be The Finest

JOYCE PRITCHARD

Football Queen

Bert,
You are one of
the truest friends
I have. Since you are
already familiar with O.U.
I hope I can get together and
talk it over. Best wishes always
you're a wonderful friend.
Love
Ernestine

No Other Like Her

ERNESTINE JONES

Blue Jacket Queen

The Belle of The Ball

ROSEMARY CRUTCHER

Meteor Queen

Our Gal

BETTY WRIGHT

Proctor Queen

How Sparkling Can You Be?

JOHN BARNHILL and BETTY ADAIR

Prince and Princess of Friendship

More Than a Touch of Beauty

Margaret Morris

Jenny Ware

Charlotte Sutherlin

Shirley Love

Pat Jeter

Margy Stipes

Theresa Wolf

Shirley Spencer

Dyan Symonds

Suzanne Riley

Jeanette Ainsworth

ASSEMBLIES

Dick Campbell pleads his case to Beverly Lawson, "How could you believe me when I said I loved you when you know I've been a liar all my life?"

Paul Schwartz is ready to accompany Bob Schwartz, blues playi clarinetist.

Joe Don Clayton, semi classical crooner draws expressive sighs from feminine throats.

Naomi Skalovsky and Shirley Glasgow have added a lot of toe twinkling rhythm to assembly programs.

Suzie Trout gave a toe dance interpretation preceding th queen coronation.

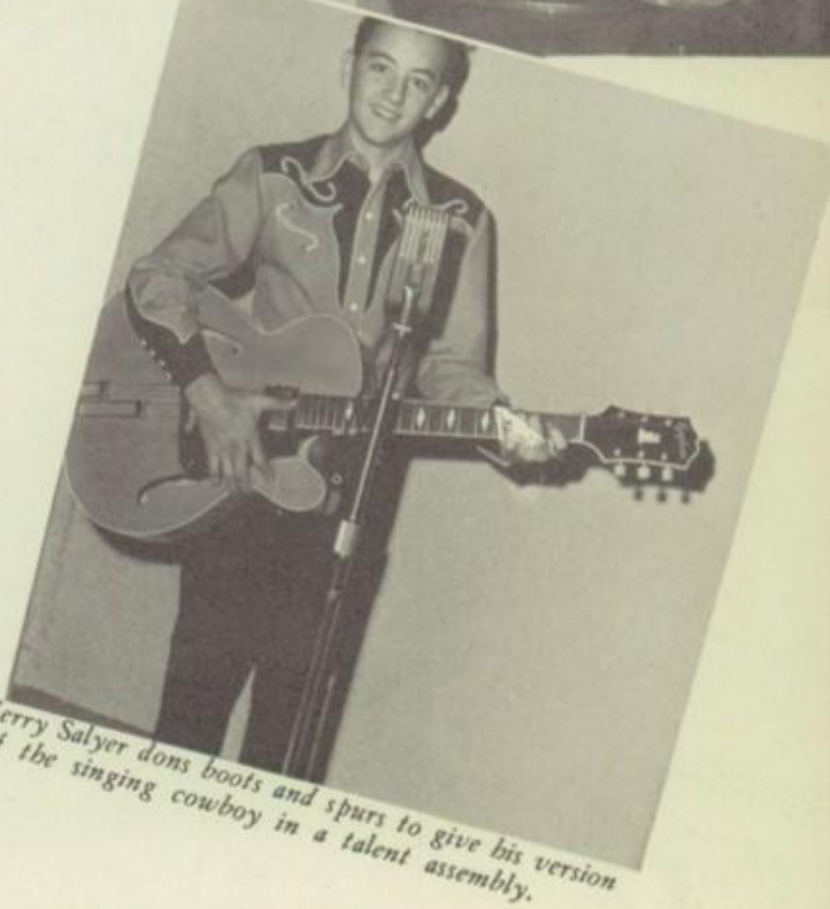
Comes' Comet Capers went over with a bang. These seven lovely girls helped make the program a lively bit of entertainment.

We thought it was great! Let's have more assemblies like this one.

Maurice Ferris, junior, places the flag in the stand. The flag salute is a moving pre-assembly ritual.

The Classen-Central assembly promoted sportsmanlike conduct. With 16 cheerleaders, representing both schools, there was lots of fancy cheering and peppy antics.

Kon Keesee portrays a country yokel complete with accent. In a comedy skit he gives his definition of a cow.



Jerry Salyer dons boots and spurs to give his version of the singing cowboy in a talent assembly.

PLAYS

Anticipation sparks playgoers, not only at Classen but in other schools, when the speech department offers a stage production here. Interest in school plays is heightened by the colorful posters which advertise forthcoming entertainment. Although an audience sees only the actors, many more students are working hard behind the lights. Both drama and light comedy were seen on the Classen stage this season.

Hammet Hough and Elaine Schuster played the leads in "Men Are Like Streetcars."

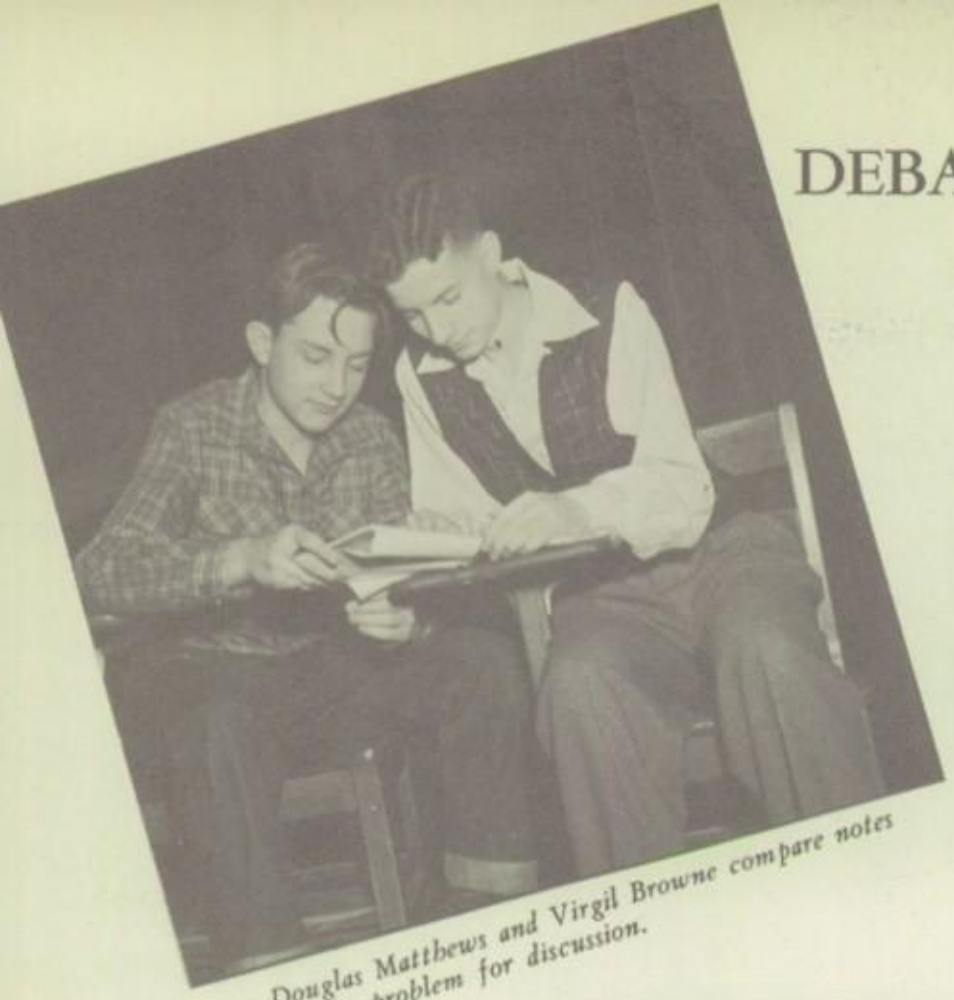
Betty Wright is a queenly betrothed in "Father of the Bride."

Jo Carol Martyn is mapping out posters to advertise the latest speech department production.

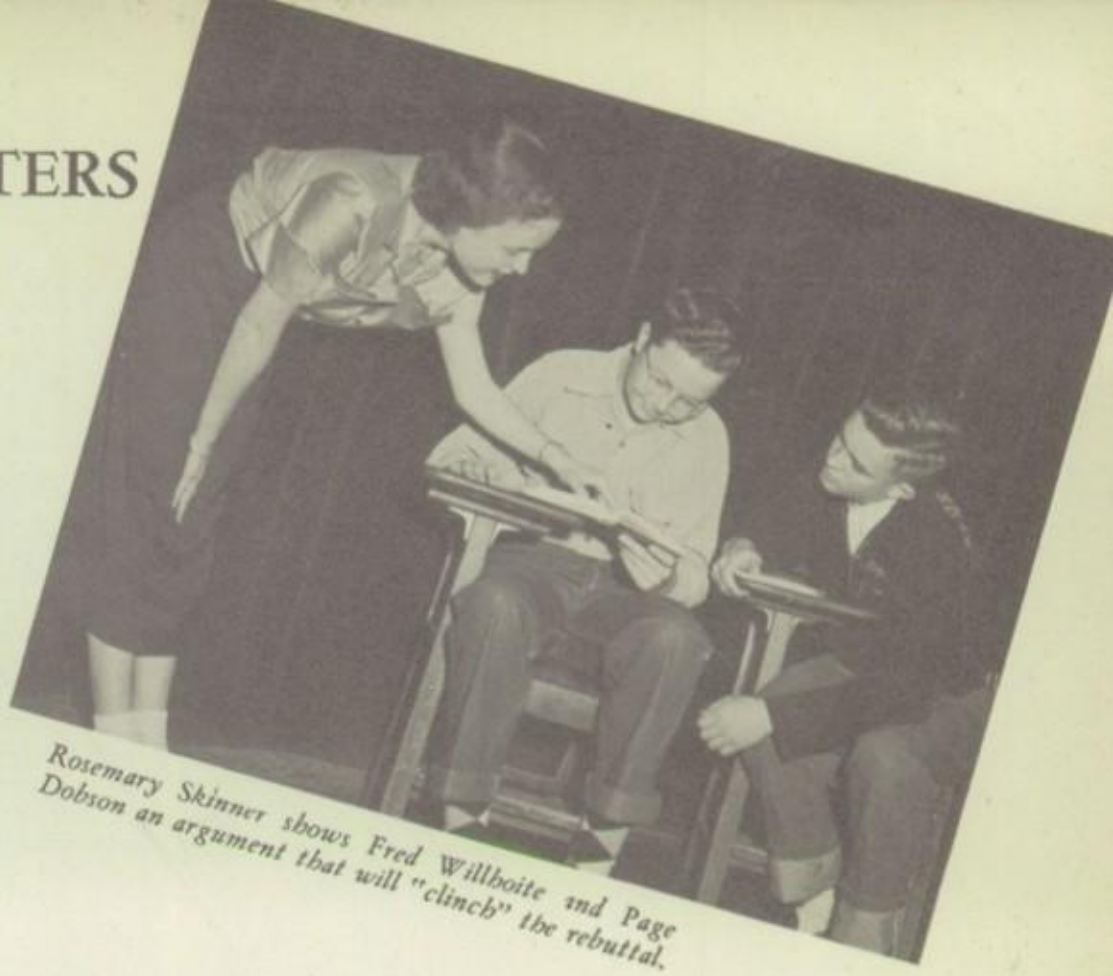
Plays affect some people in strange ways. Joe Bounds, stage crew member, is recuperating from setting up scenery.

Make First Impressions

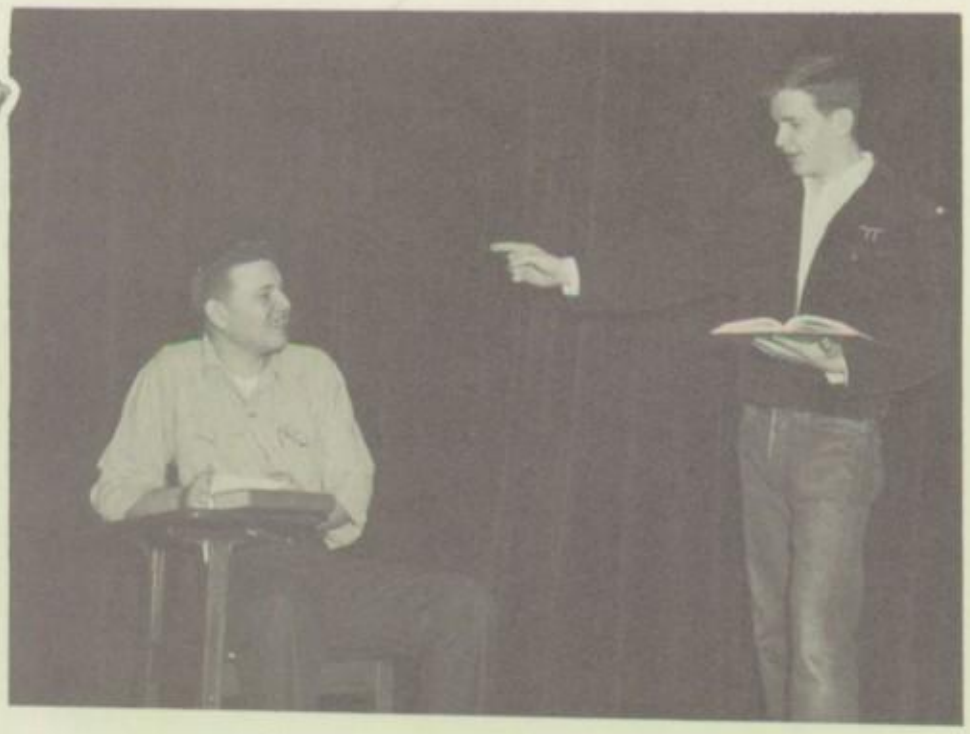
DEBATERS



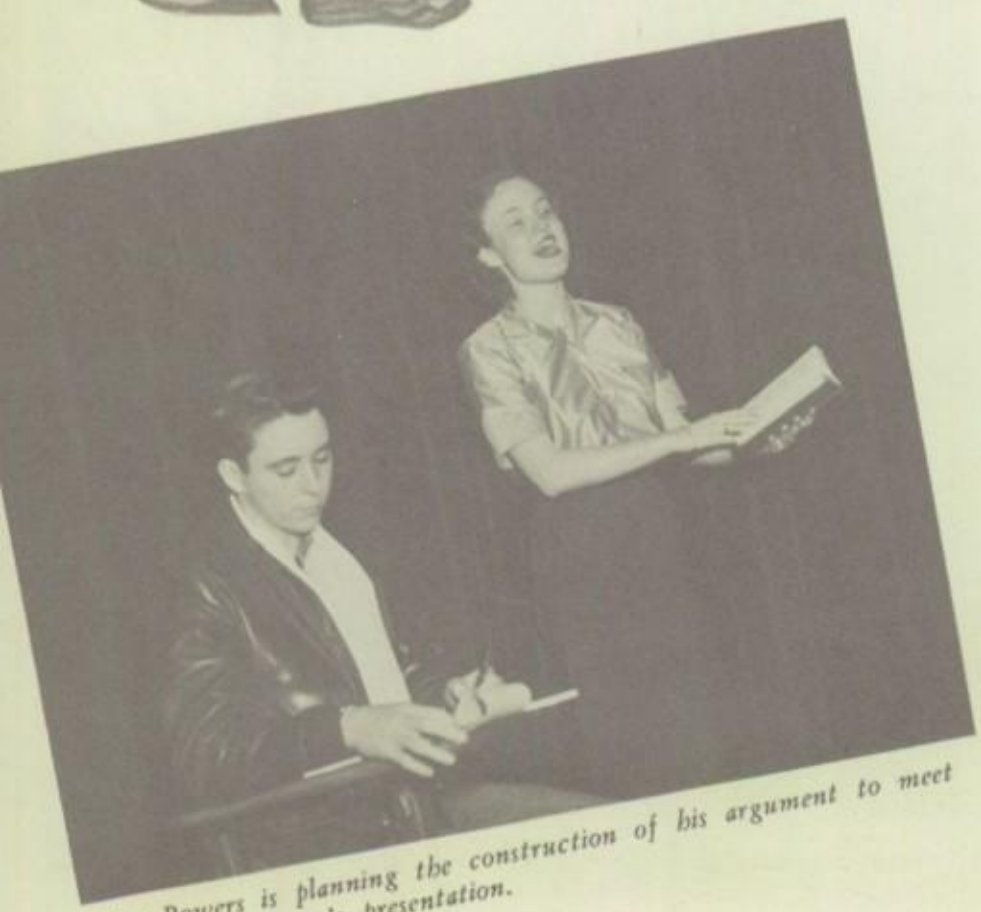
Douglas Matthews and Virgil Browne compare notes on the problem for discussion.



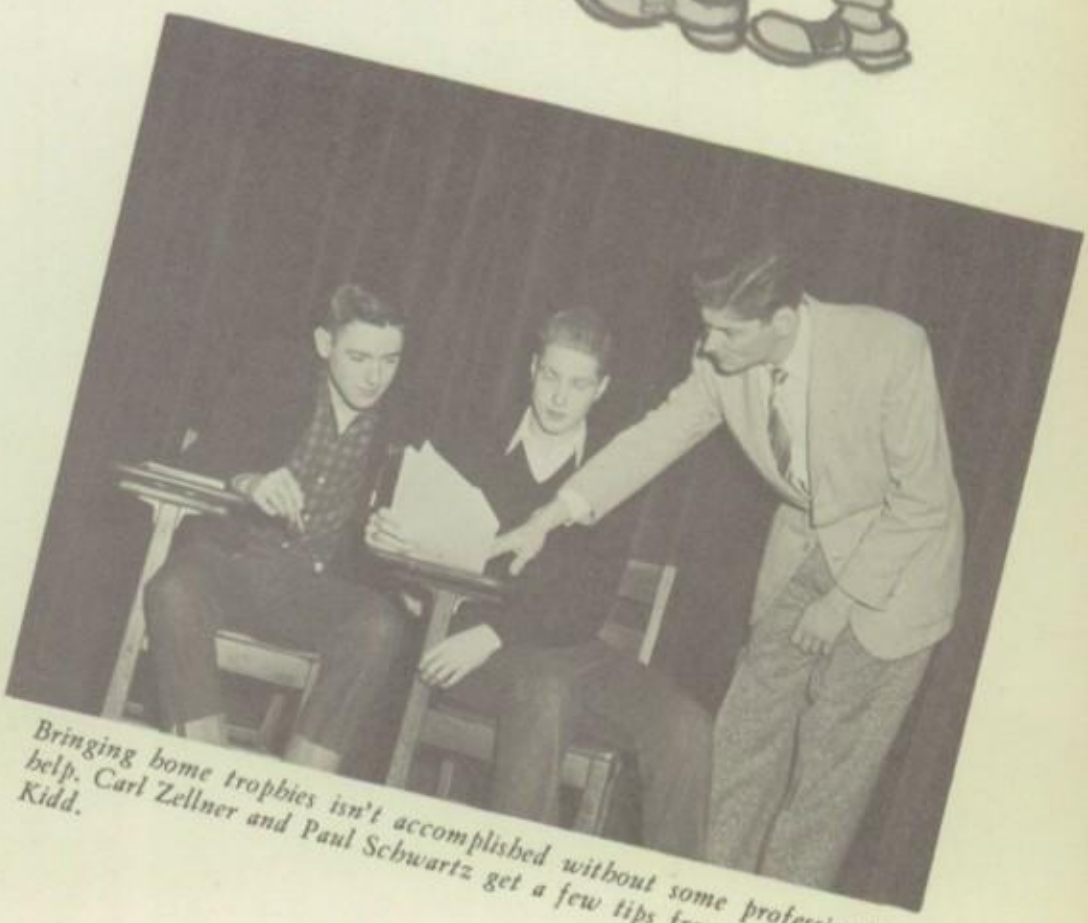
Rosemary Skinner shows Fred Willhoite and Page Dobson an argument that will "clinch" the rebuttal.



"Two hours for lunch is a necessity," declares Tom Terrill to Dan Costley.



Jim Powers is planning the construction of his argument to meet Rosemary Skinner's presentation.



Bringing home trophies isn't accomplished without some professional help. Carl Zellner and Paul Schwartz get a few tips from Mr. Gerald Kidd.

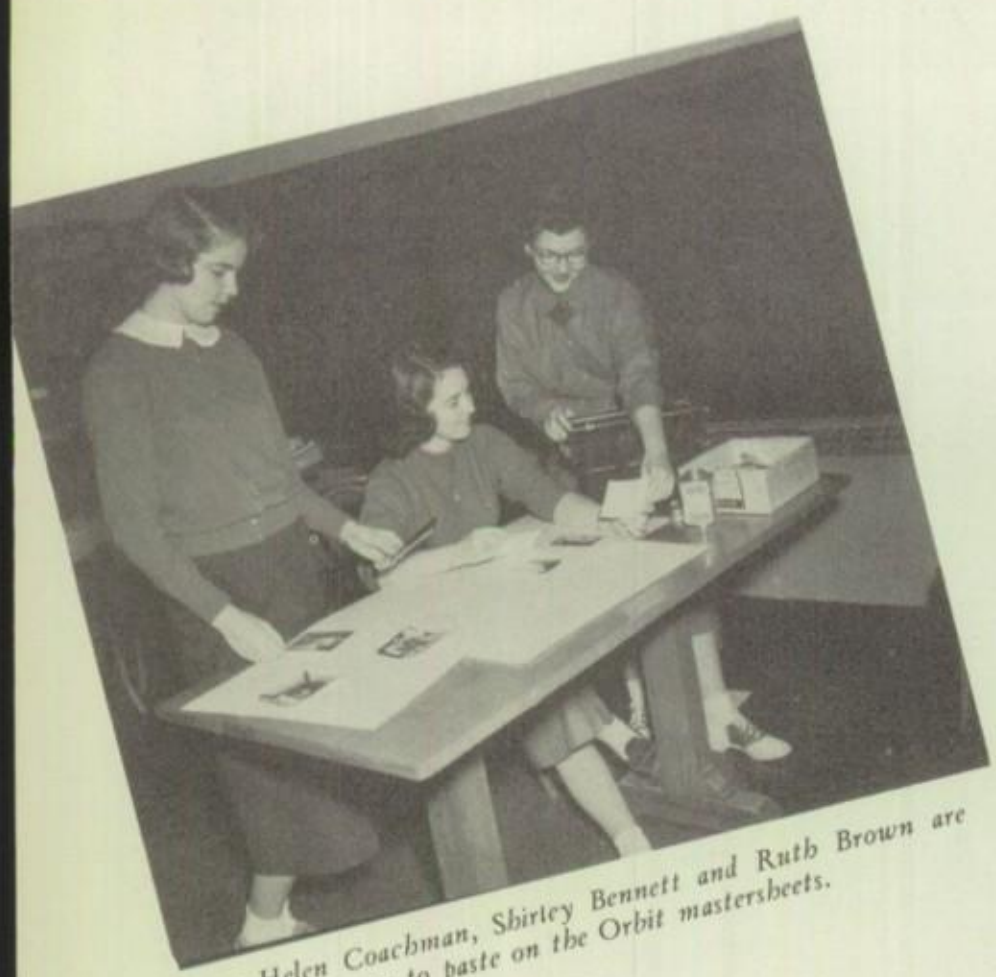
Last

ORBIT

Members of the Orbit and Orbit Art staffs are, left right, standing: Gaines, Kathryn; Lew-Allen, Lois; Wright, Betty; Coachman, Mary Helen; Graves, Georgia; Gallaspy, Myralin; Brown, Ruth; Reeves, Marilyn; Harris, Mary Ann, sponsor; Rardin, Nancy; Cunningham, Clark, sponsor; Hoyle, Louise. Seated are Bennet, Shirley; Engle, Tonita; Lea, Bill; Brown, Travis.

A Touch Of Genius

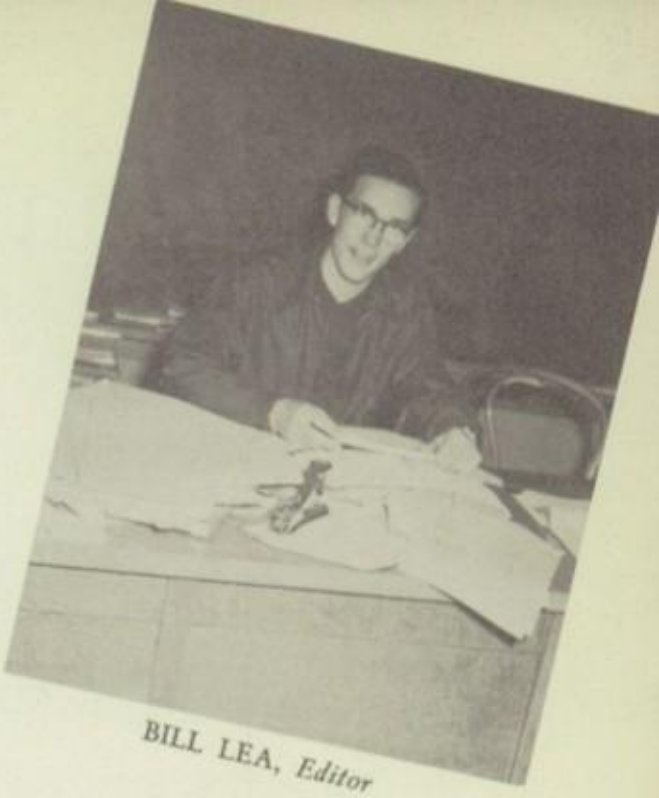
Bill Lea is attempting to teach Shirley Bennett and Pat Poore how to crop pictures.



Mary Helen Coachman, Shirley Bennett and Ruth Brown are selecting pictures to paste on the Orbit mastersheets.

It takes late hours to put out a yearbook. Seated at table are Poore, Pat; Donceel, Emma; Rardin, Nancy; Stipes, Margy. In the background are Kerr, Nancy; Coachman, Mary Helen; Graves, Georgia; Keesee, Kon; Akin, Gloria; Bennett, Shirley; Curran, Bob.

PAT POORE, *Assistant Editor*



BILL LEA, *Editor*

MR. CLARK CUNNINGHAM
Business Manager

MRS. MARY ANN HARRIS
Sponsor

Time for Ideas

We worked time and a half, including Saturdays and after school, to produce a book full of good pictures and sparkling copy illustrating Classen's 1951-52 school year. It was lots of fun, cutting, pasting and picking out the best pictures for the Orbit. Planning, writing and laying out the Orbit is done in a regularly scheduled class. Staff positions were earned by students on a merit basis. The '51 Orbit won highest honors in Class A in the Oklahoma Interscholastic Press Association judging.

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Bill Lea
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Pat Poore
Assistant Editor

Gloria Akin

Shirley Bennett

Ruth Brown

Mary Helen Coachman

Bob Curran

Emma Donceel

Myralin Gallaspy

Georgia Graves

Beulah Kail

Kon Keesee

Nancy Kerr

Becky Martin

Claudette McMillin

Nancy Rardin

Marilyn Reeves

Margy Stipes

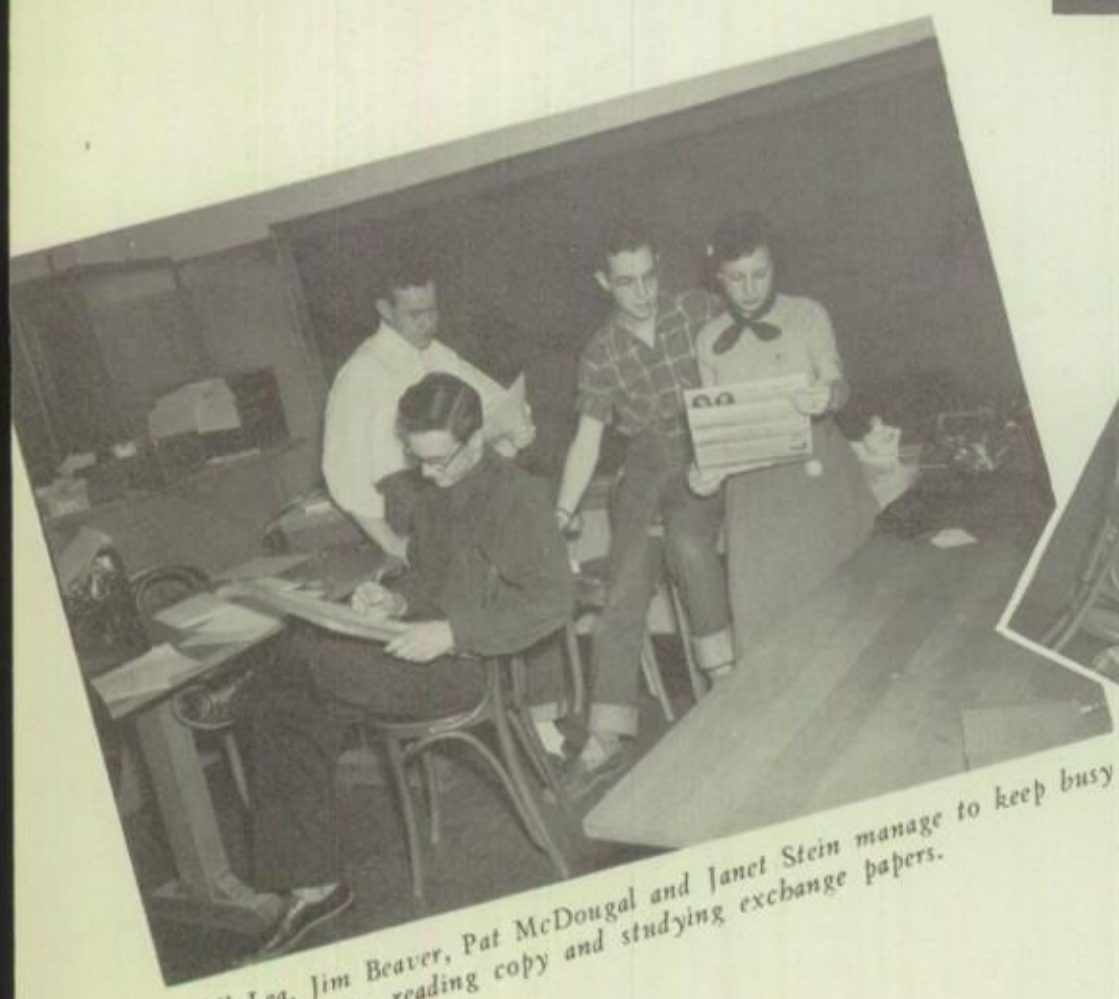
CLASSEN LIFE

Headlines and deadlines popped up twice a month for the Classen Life staff. These student journalists deserve a round of applause—they never missed a deadline during the entire year, and even put out a special edition at Christmas. These reporters not only produced all the copy, headlines and advertising for Classen Life, but also managed circulation and sales.

Row 1, left to right: Stein, Janet; Besett, Herwanna; Poore, Pat; Harris, Mary Ann, sponsor. *Row 2*: Beaver, Jim; Mateer, Pat; Nichols, Max; Kennedy, Marilynne; McDougal, Pat. *Row 3*: Bagby, Joel; Caughron, John; Brown, Travis; Lea, Bill; Wagner, Edward.

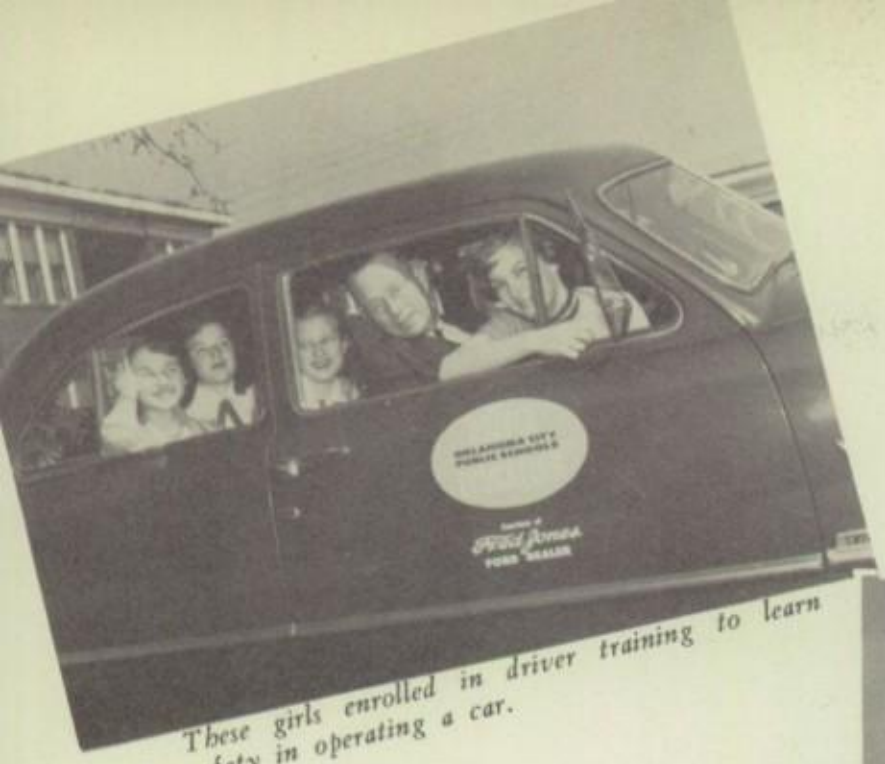
Pat Poore wields a copy cutter carrying out her first semester duties as editor.

Herwanna Besett, second semester editor, is a speed demon when it comes to typing copy for an approaching deadline.



Bill Lea, Jim Beaver, Pat McDougal and Janet Stein manage to keep busy with drawing, reading copy and studying exchange papers.

Max Nichols, Boyd Campbell, Joel Bagby, Carolyn Gimpel and Georgia Graves look so busy, they must be sitting on a deadline.



These girls enrolled in driver training to learn safety in operating a car.

Hop in girls, Mr. Reid will demonstrate the professional way to "rack."

MR. ROBERT REID
Driver Training

"Mamma don't 'low no grinding gears around here!" This is a sure thing since the establishment of the driver training course. Safety is a large part of the instruction. Student drivers earn a state operator's license following the one semester class.

Some girls just eat up mechanics. Show these two where the starter is and they will learn the rest.

Someone learned his lesson well. Now, how does one get back on the ground?

MR. JIM CONGER
Flight Training

Flying through the air with the greatest of ease is not as simple as it sounds. Many Classen students have learned the tricks of the trade piloting the city schools' plane. Students fly every day there is good flying weather.

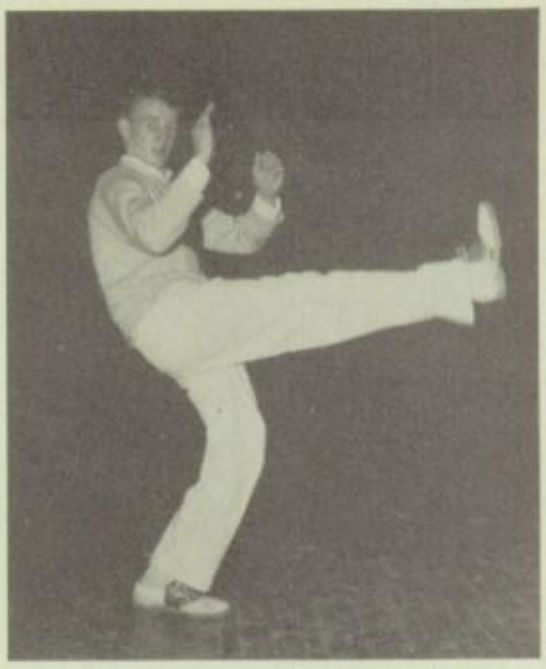
Educating students in national political procedure was the goal of the city wide mock conventions. Reaction to presidential nominees was tested at these conventions. Students participated in every activity of an election year. A state delegation was elected, and national committeemen and women were chosen to plan the national conventions held in the Municipal auditorium in May. Two representatives were selected to attend the national Democratic and Republican conventions in Chicago in August.

Joe Don Clayton, Gerry Le Van and Mark Dorff are deep in a political discussion.

MISS CLARA MEYER

CHEER LEADERS

Georgia Graves



Jerry Mitchell

Carol Gallamore

Jimmy Durant

Gloria Littrell

Bill Lea

Cheerleaders with lots of pep? Those at Classen are really hep! Jerry, Gloria and Bill have good cause to yell at the Classen-Central assembly preceding the annual game.

The Classen cheerleaders lead "Victory" with beaming faces because they are really "in" that win. Classen was victorious in the twenty-third annual contest with the Cardinals.

IN MEMORY

It is only fitting that we pause in the midst of this tribute to 1952 students and mention former students whose stories would not otherwise be contained in these pages.

Haskell Graves has been selected to typify the hundreds of Classen boys who have given their lives for their country on the battlefield or on the training field. Haskell represents numerous boys who have attended Classen, fellows who are remembered for athletic prowess, high scholastic standing or participation in school activities.

Haskell and the hundreds of other boys who attended Classen have not died in vain. Such a sacrifice for their country long will be remembered.

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RUTH BLEYBERC
English Award
Debate, H. Ment.

FRED
COUNTRYMAN

MARGARET
DYKES

NANCY K. JOHNSTON
English Award

CHARLES KEY
Classen Award
English Award
Mathematics Awa

LATIN
Margaret Morris

GERMAN
Lendle Hart
Ed Zschiesche

SPANISH
Mary Louise Kuwitzky

ENGLISH
Joel Bagby
Ruth Bleyberg
Mary Burruss
Helen Carter
Mary Helen Coachman
Kitty Colton
Ann Davis
Helen Edwards
Carolyn Good
Joe Griffin
Ann Hairfield
Nancy Johnston
Rosemary Kester
Charles Key
Charles Kruger
Tom Lekas
Dick McKown
Bernadine Madole
Ann Moritz
Margaret Morris
Joan Nichols
Carolyn Noell
Ava Pelmulder
Celia Pitney
Mary Lois Wallace
Jenny Ware
Joline Wooten

MATHEMATICS
Cameron Deen
Roy Hann
Roland Jansson
Charles Key
Charles Kruger
Ira Oldham
Charles Rey
Wayne Sherman

SCIENCE
Charles Rey
Bausch & Lomb Award

HOME ECONOMICS
Toby Moore

Merit Certificates:
Marilyn Morris
Mary Clayton

DAR HOME ECONOMICS
Donna Shoshone

DAR CITIZENSHIP
Herwanna Besett

OUTSTANDING VOCALISTS
Caryl Joy Niles
Bill Littleton

Honorable Mention:
Jo Ellen Hart
Philip Holmes
Gail Jones
Byron Lamun
Lewis McKinney
Nancy McLemore
Roy Magers
Dick Morrison
Dodie Ramsey
Lois Stone
Carol Jean Wilkinson
Cynthia Yeats

SIGMA ALPHA IOTA
Lois Stone

INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC
Tom Fox
Bloch Award

Honorable Mention:
Gerry LeVan

Roger Kunkel
Harrison Award

Honorable Mention:
Charles Green

MU PHI EPSILON
Pauline Landon

COMMERCIAL CERTIFI
Ann Davis
Sara Ann Gore
Eleanor Hopper
Marilyn Frances Jones
Ann Kerr
Barbara Lefkowitz
Mary Ann Metz

COMMERCIAL OCCUPA
Freda DeVeny
Shirley Holt
Eugenia Leonhardt
Marian Wolfe

DISTRIBUTIVE EDUCA
DEPARTMENT
Bill Brown

SOCIAL STUDIES
Rosemary Skinner
DAR Award
History Award
Mary Louise Kuwitzky
History Award

L OF HONOR

AWARDS

CAROLYN GOOD
Classen Award
English Award

CHARLES KRUGER
English Award
Mathematics Award

DICK McKOWN
English Award

CAROLYN NOELL
English Award

CHARLES REY
Mathematics Award
Science Award

JOURNALISM
Max Nichols
Pat Poore

ORBIT
Bill Lea

GIRLS' INDIVIDUAL SPORTS
Lurlene Hess

Honorable Mention:
Ruth McBride

GIRLS' TEAM SPORTS
Sue Chesher

Honorable Mention:
Elaine Runyon

BOYS' ATHLETIC AWARD
Tom Murphy

Honorable Mention:
Don Hart

JOSEPH HESTER PATTERSON AWARD:
Dick Day

Honorable Mention:
David Hoke

ART RENAISSANCE
Jim Frazier

ART NOUVEAU
BILL LEA

Honorable Mention:
Theresa Wolf
Bettie Sue Hill

ART DEPARTMENT
Frances Hart

Honorable Mention:
BILL LEA

BEST ACTOR
Kon Keesee

BEST ACTRESS
Betty Wright

Honorable Mention:
Faith Wilson
Eunice Jenkins

MARY MARTINEAU MEMORIAL
Eunice Jenkins

Honorable Mention:
Kon Keesee

MARY MARTINEAU SERVICE
Ann Hall

Honorable Mention:
Myrl Minter

FORENSIC
Rosemary Skinner

Honorable Mention:
Beverly Burns

DEBATE
Rosemary Skinner
Gene Morkin

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Mark Dorff
Ruth Bleyberg

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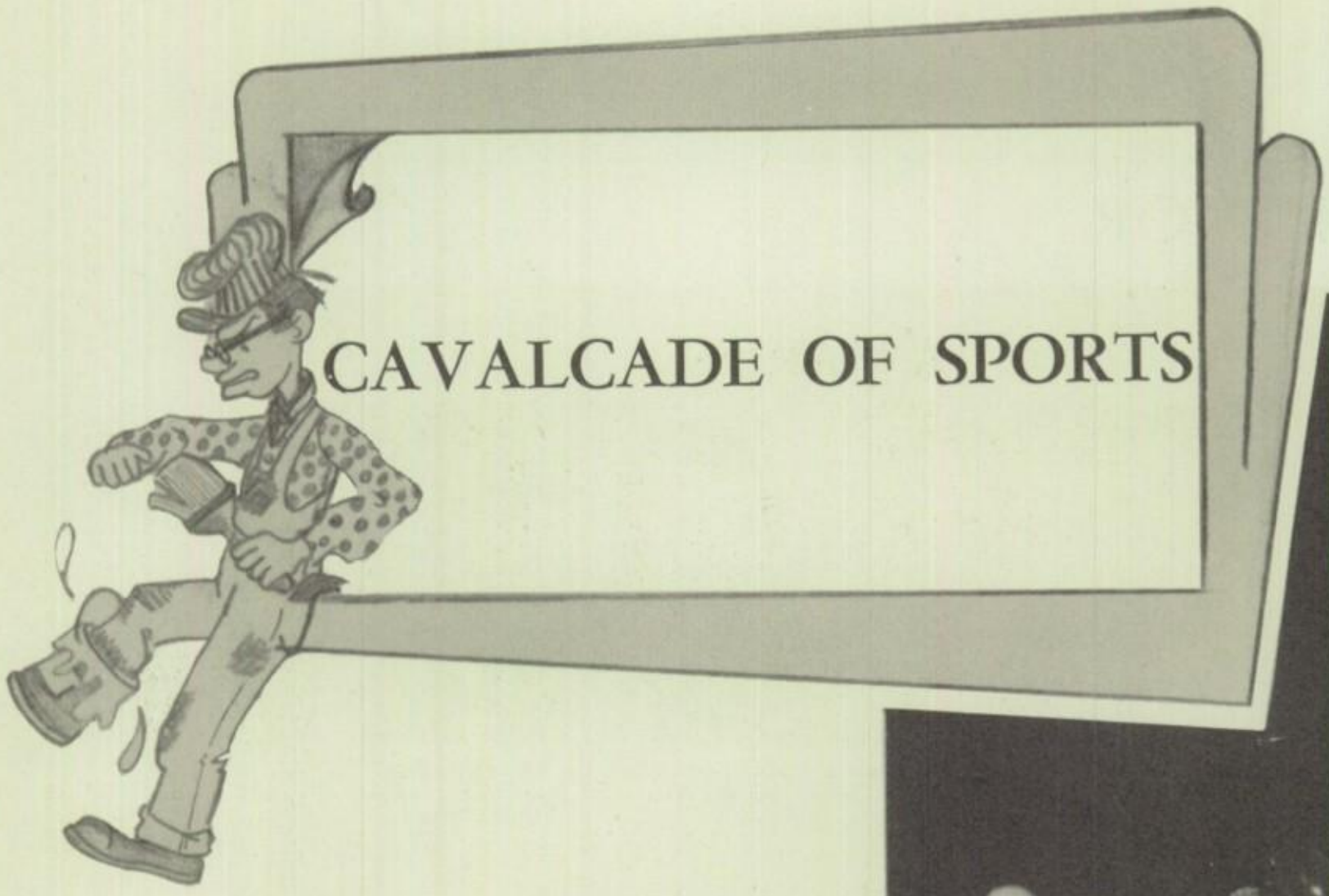

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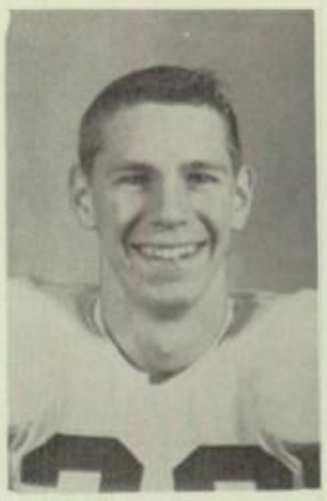
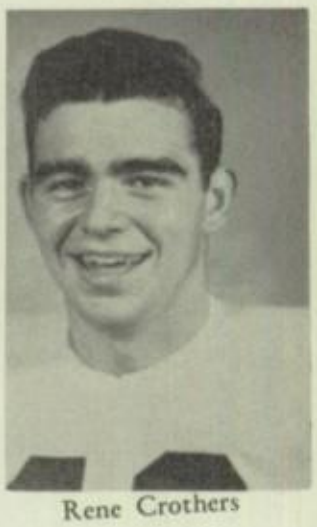
Jim Ingram

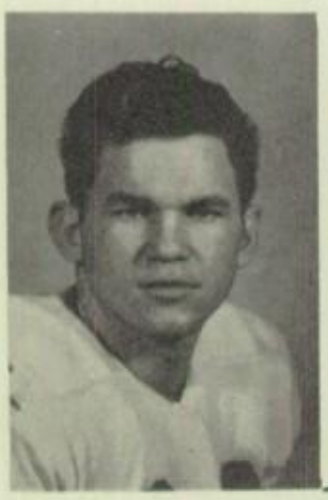


Dick Sparks

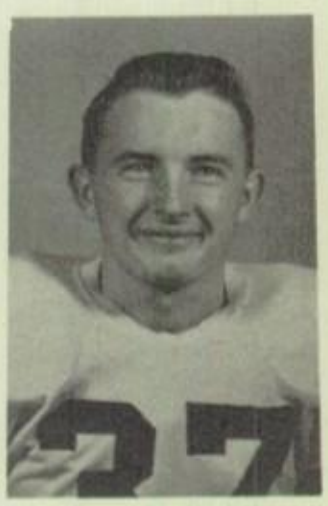


Rene Crothers

You Can Put Your Confidence In Classen's Returning Lettermen



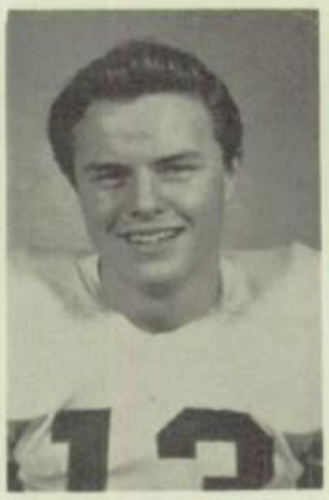
Sam Davidson



Joe Don Clayton

Ned Spence

John Perkins



Jack Shaffer

Harold Couch

Our Greatest Athletes

Jim Ingram
Football
All-City
All-District

A

Tom Murphy
Football
All-City
All-District
All-State

S

Max Nichols
Football
All-City

Jerry Bross
Wrestling
District Champion

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Don Hart
Wrestling
District Champion
State Champion

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Don Garrett
Wrestling
District Champion

Jim Holden
Swimming
District Champion

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Kenneth Rains
Basketball
All-City
All-State

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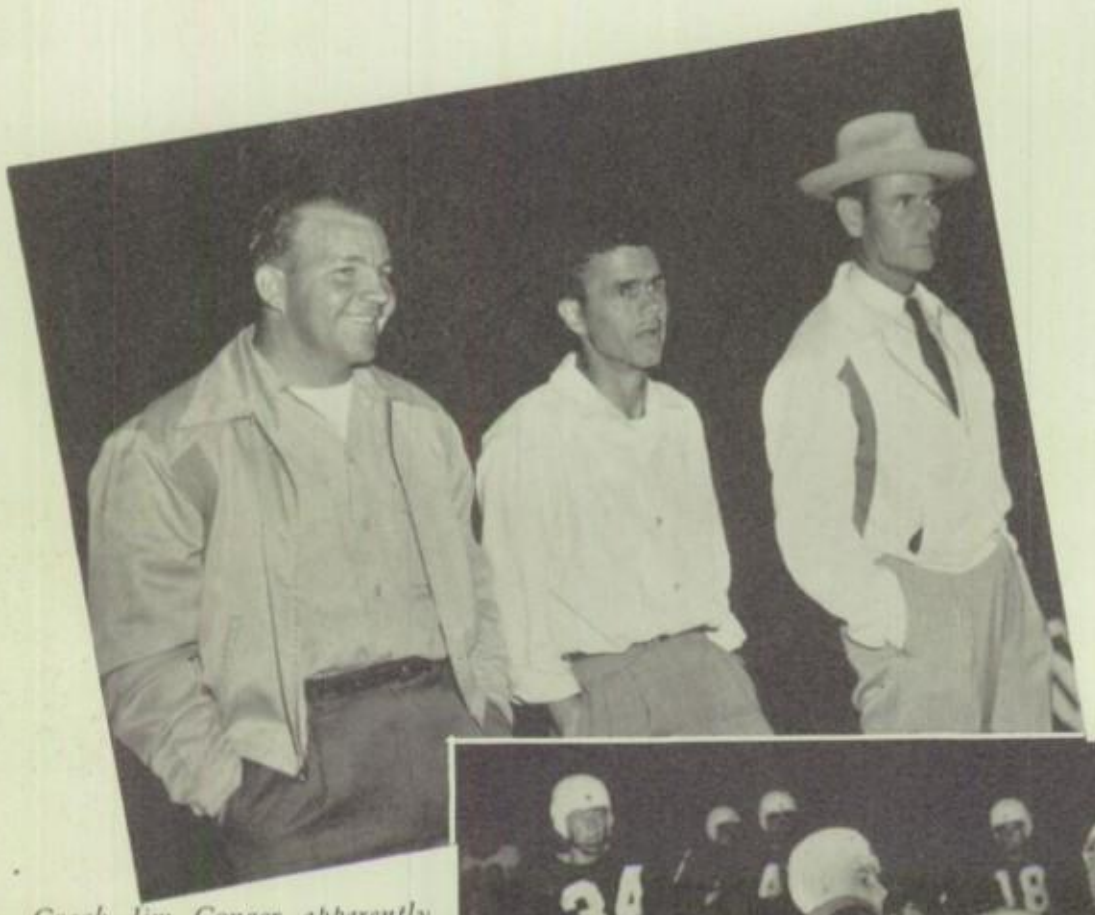
Dick Campbell
Swimming
District Champion

Built T

The loyal Comet supporters shared with their football team defeat and victory alike in the 1951 season. Confidence never wavered when such invincible teams as Little Rock and Capitol Hill, Midstate Champions, defeated our Comets and one touchdown gave Lawton the victory over us. Enthusiasm seemed to kindle the fire in the Classen gridders who, coming into their own, plowed through Northeast and Central, which put them in a three-way tie for the City Championship. We then defeated Putnam City but were defeated by Norman and Shawnee. Winning the final game of the year over Tulsa Will Rogers brought our season to a happy climax, making it a truly glorious Thanksgiving day.

All in all, though our victories missed balancing our defeats by one, and though we tied two battles, the boys showed excellent teamwork and maneuvering power which could not be overlooked in any league.



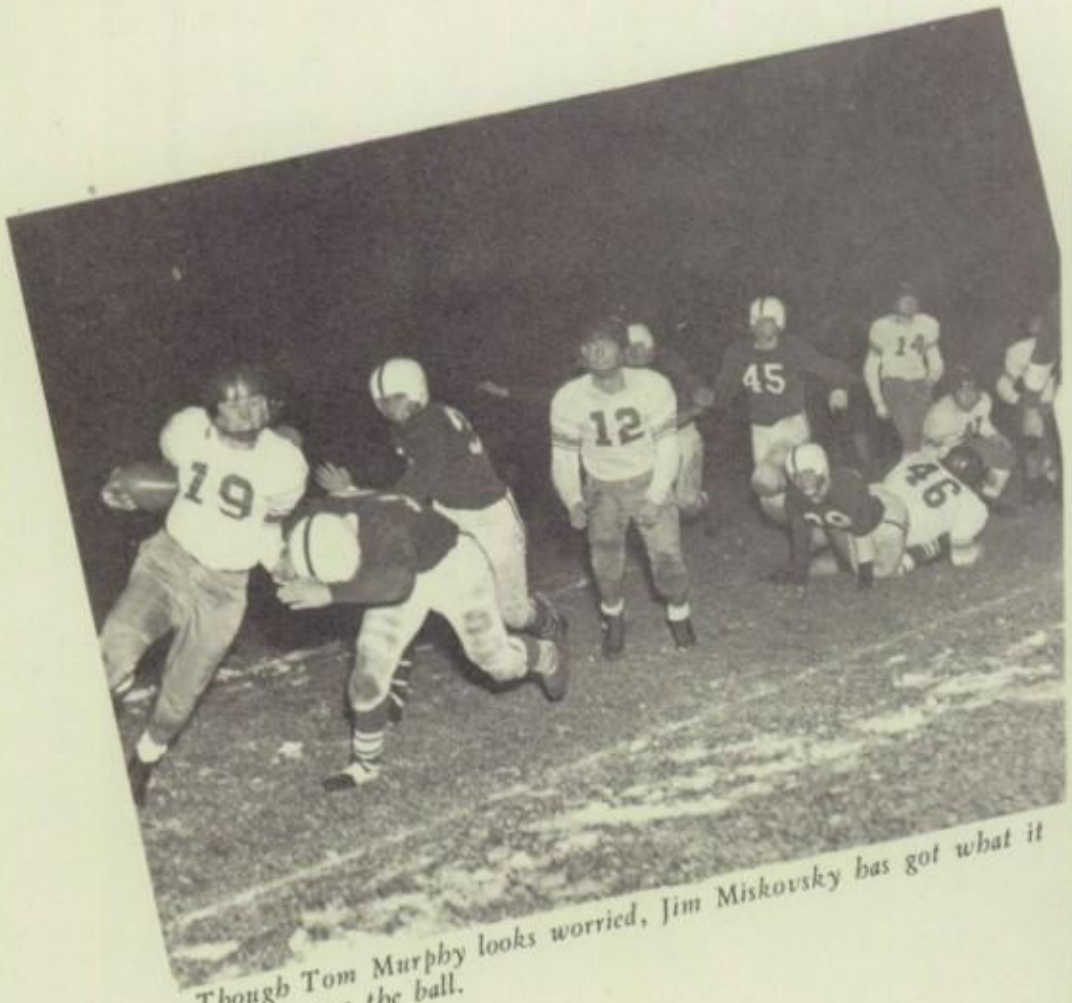
Coach Jim Conger apparently sees no hope for the play, judging by the expression on his face. However, Rex Irwin, though doubtful, recognizes a slim chance. Clay Davis looks as if he has unfailing confidence in the Boulevard Boys. And who wouldn't, with boys like Otis Bealmear carrying the ball.

SEASON SCOREBOARD

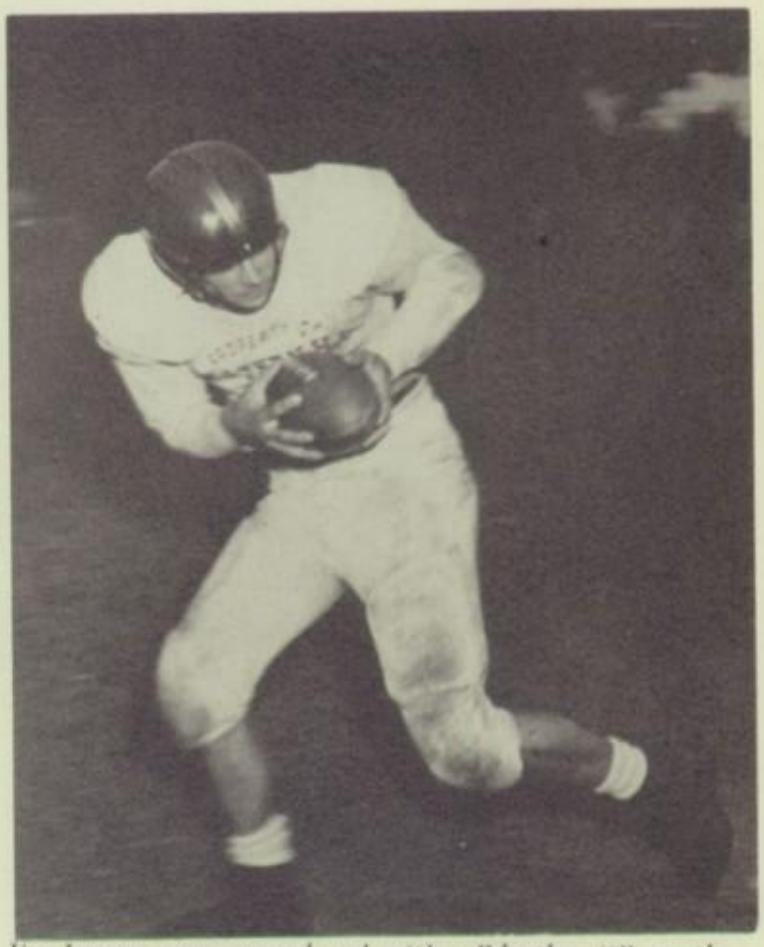
Classen		*Opponents*
6	Ardmore	6
0	Little Rock	20
0	Lawton	6
0	Capitol Hill	18
53	Northeast	0
25	Central	24
12	Putnam City	0
13	Enid	13
7	Norman	26
0	Shawnee	27
12	Tulsa Rogers	6

Overpower Interference

Row 1: Colby, John; Murphy, Tom; Perkins, John; Nichols, Max; Ingram, Jim; Mines, Kenneth; St. Clair, Glen; Gulihur, Larry; Miskovsky, Jim; Goodman, Max; Jackson, Bob. *Row* 2: Myers, Rabbit; Reed, Dan; Kessler, Earl; Van Nort, Jerry; Harvey, Ralph; Spaan, Gary; Clayton, Joe; Davidson, Sam; Maples, Ronnie; Davidge, Douglas; Spear, Tom. *Row* 3: Spence , Ned; Rose, David; Miskovsky, George; Lamun, Byron; Nichols, Larry; Couch, Harold; Crothers, Rene; Forbes, Jerry; Cheatwood, Tom; Scruggs, Larry. *Row* 4: Shaffer, Jack; Etchison, Wayne; Steadley Al; Christensen, Dal; Sparks, Dick; White, Doil; Milligan, Dale. *Row* 5: Scruggs, Bob; Easlon, Phil; Groseclose, Jim; Taylor, Lonnie.



Though Tom Murphy looks worried, Jim Miskovsky has got what it takes to run the ball.



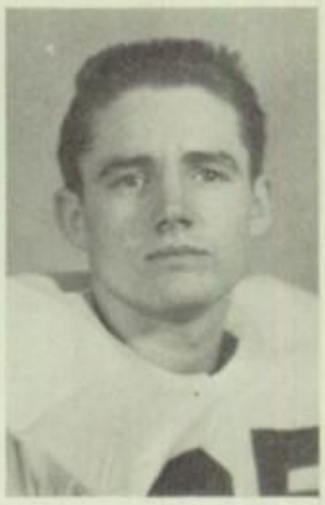
Jim Ingram runs around end with a "death grip" on the ball. The goal line doesn't elude Jim.

Stronger Than Th

Max Nichols

John Colby

Bob Jackson



Max Goodman

Ronald Myers

Douglas Davidge

Tom Murphy

Glen St. Clair

Gary Spaan

Otis Bealmear

Rock of Gibralter

Larry Gulihur

Ralph Harvey

Kenneth Mines

Dan Reed

George Miskovsky

Jim Miskovsky

David Rose

Ronnie Maples

Earl Kessler

Bob Bledsoe

These are the boys to whom we owe credit for displaying undaunted spirit that carried us through the 1951 football season. Sharing the glory and inspiring great hopes for next year are the boys on the following page who will be back on the field for Classen in '52.

COMETS HERE

CLASSEN		OPPONENTS
40	Amarillo	39
31	Lawton	23
60	Central Catholic	30
28	Capitol Hill	39
41	Northeast	28
39	Enid	38
39	Central	33
31	Norman	43
43	Shawnee	42
39	Blackwell	26

Stewart Meyers

Dan Brown

Jim Frazier

Jerry Eaton

George Susens

John Richardson

Bill Pinkerton

Bill Hughes

Nothing Could

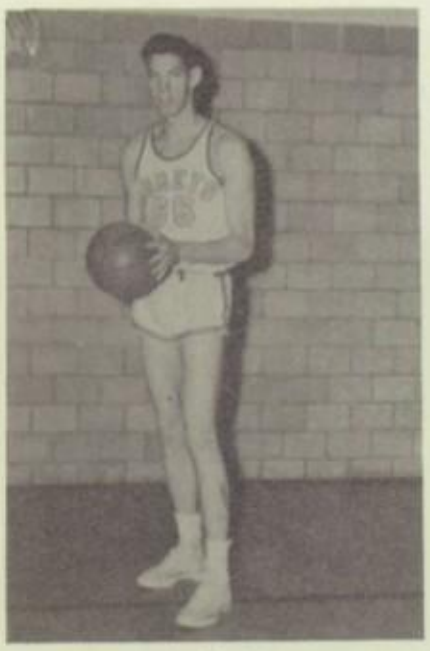
COMETS THERE

CLASSEN		OPPONENTS
44	McAlester	34
30	Tulsa Rogers	23
38	Alva	26
31	Blackwell	32
36	Central	43
42	Shawnee	48
34	Norman	46
35	Capitol Hill	57
42	Enid	46
37	Northeast	31

Dick McKown

John Henry

Gary Johnson



Kenneth Rains

Bill Brabits

John Rabe

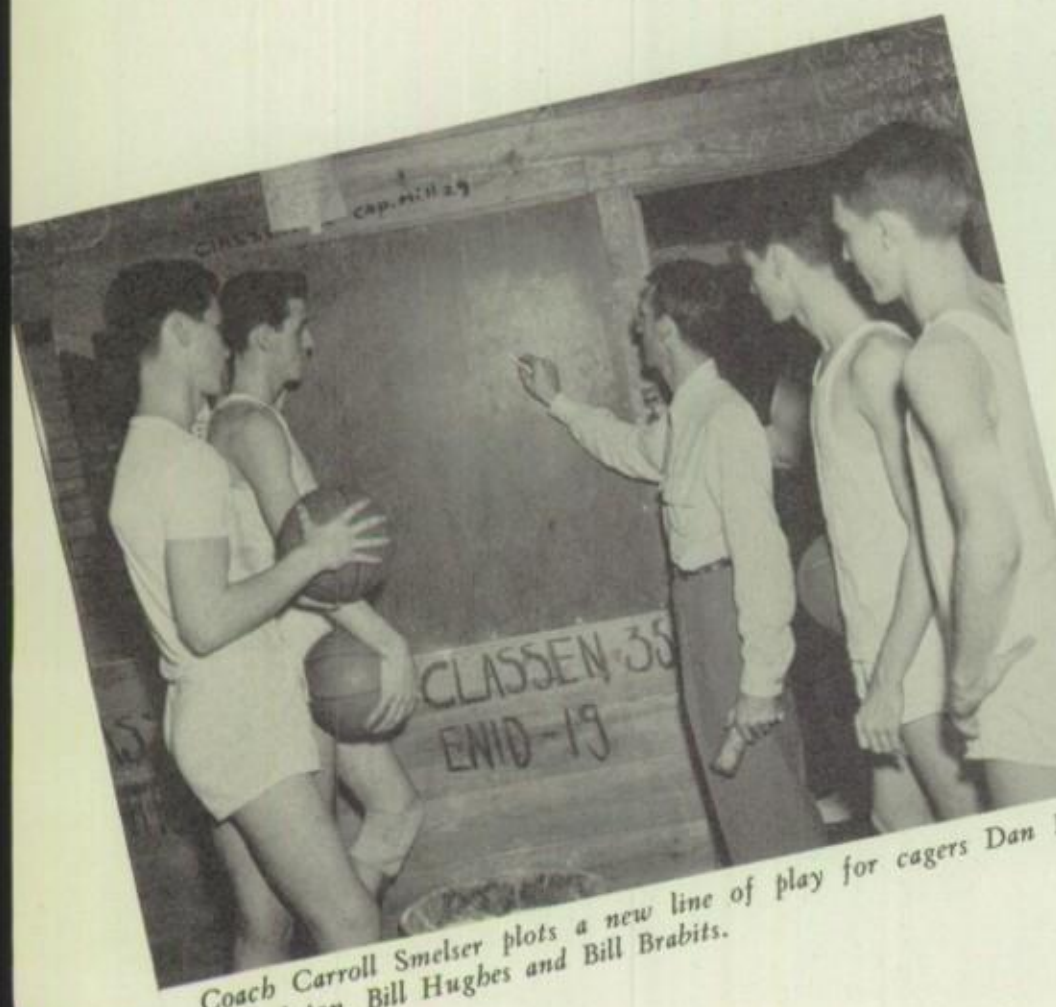
Joe Jones

Ed Lyons

Be Finer

Left to right: Hiatt, Richard; Brown, Dan; Meyers, Stewart; Lyon, Ed; Hughes, Bill; McKown, Dick; Henry, John; Susens, George; Rains, Kenneth; Pinkerton, Bill; Frazier, Jim; Richardson, John; Johnson, Gary; Rabe, John; Brabits, William; Jones, Joe; Hirschfield, Alan, manager.

Ed Lyon dunks one to bring th Comets nearer to victory.



Coach Carroll Smelser plots a new line of play for cagers Dan Brown, Jerry Eaton, Bill Hughes and Bill Brabits.

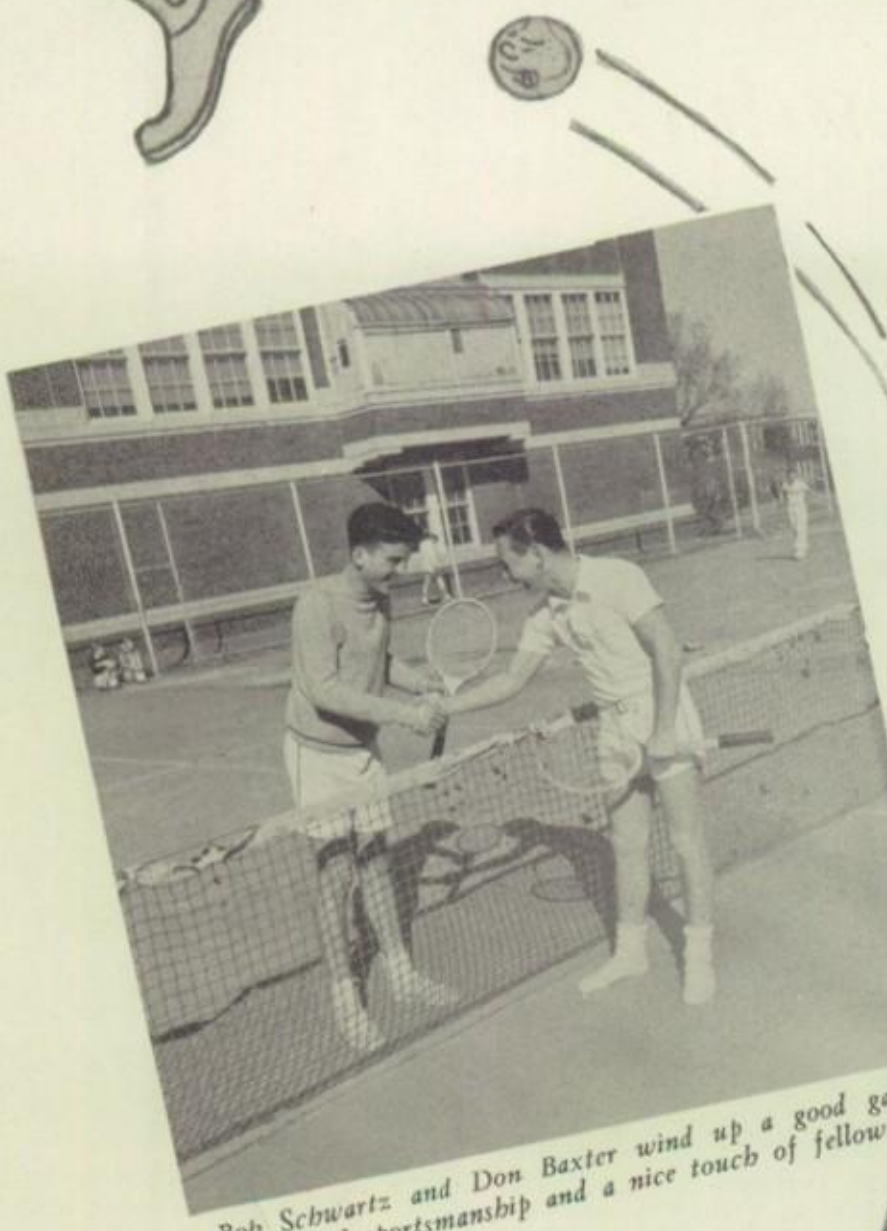
Mr. Carrol Smelser
Basketball

Mr. Clayton L. Davis
Baseball

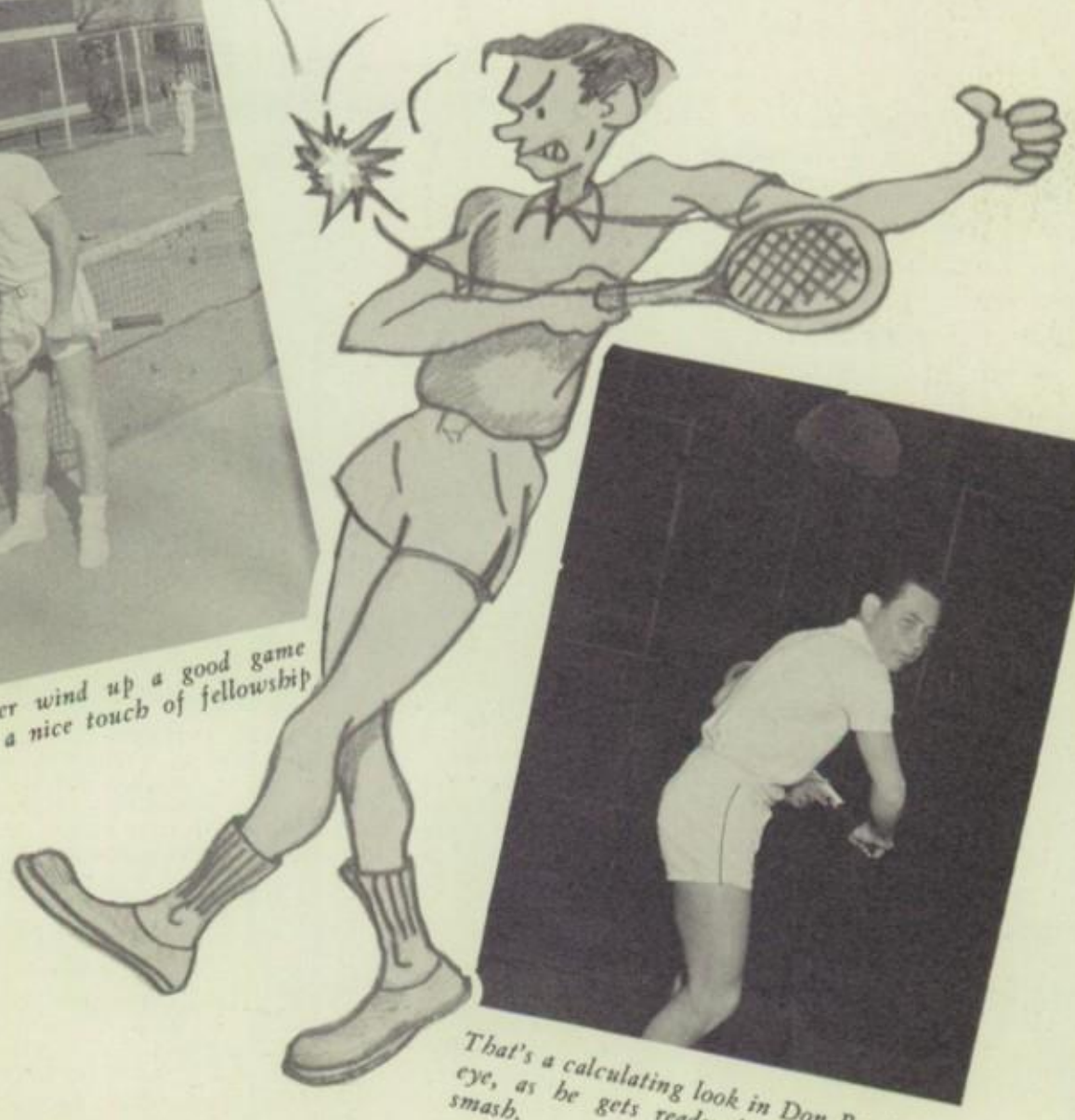
Left to right: McPhail, Clark; McDaniel, Paul; Spear, Tom; Scruggs, Larry; Burns, Bob; Sparks, Dick; Griffy, Ted; Blackwell, Bill; Mugg, Dan; Thompson, Ralph, manager.

Classen has its share of winners on the tennis court. It takes lightning quickness and a judicious eye to smack a speeding ball over the middle net. Left to right: Weaver, Joe; Schwartz, Bob; Henry, Jim; Fox, Thomas; Chapel, Bill; Baxter, Don; Wilhoite, David; Casey, L. D.

Swing and Sway



Bob Schwartz and Don Baxter wind up a good game with good sportsmanship and a nice touch of fellowship on the tennis court.



That's a calculating look in Don Baxter's eye, as he gets ready for a backhand smash.

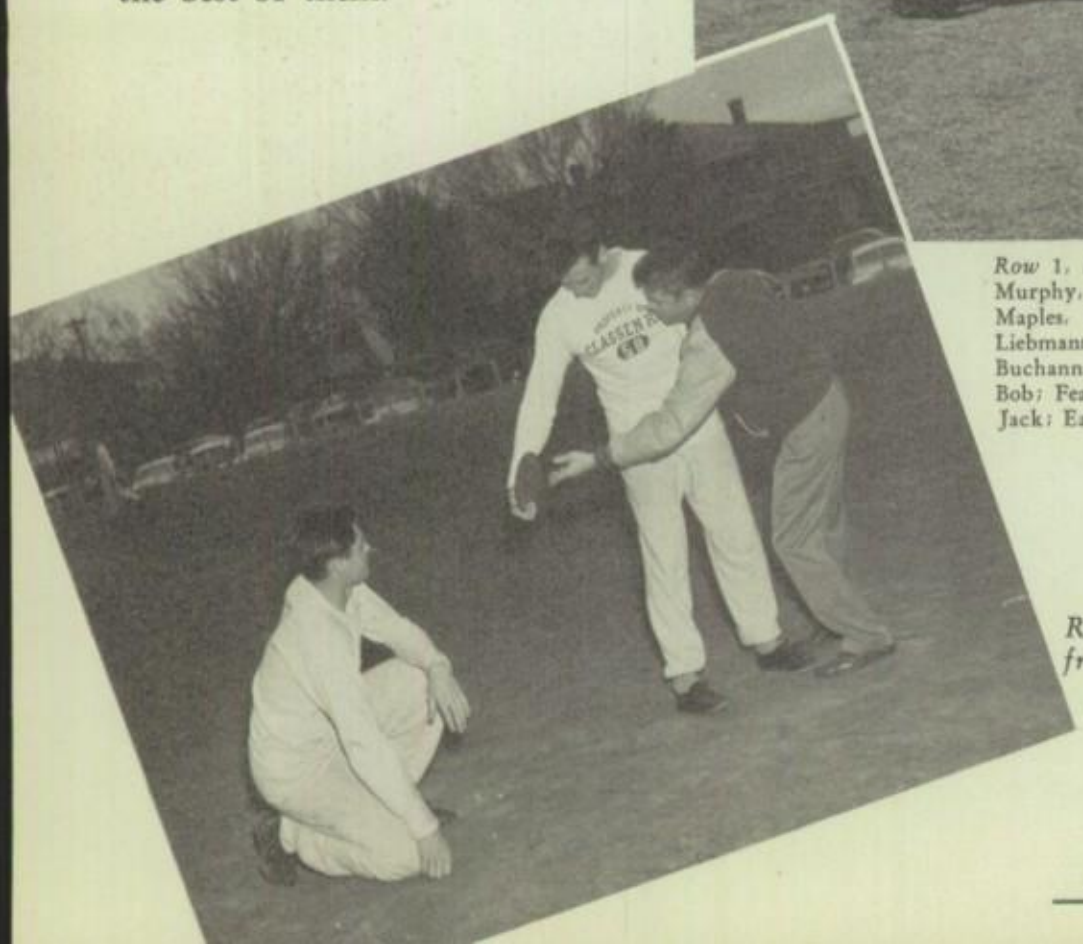
The backbone of the swimming team this year consists of such reliables as Dick Campbell, Jerry Mitchell, Bill Spivey, Jim Holden and Jack Shaffer, aided by some up and coming juniors and sophomores. The ability displayed by these boys shows us that every effort is put forth to meet the challenge provided by past years' record-setting team.
Members are: Nichols, Larry; Salyer, Jerry; James, Teddy; Janger, Steve; Murray, Bob; Lambke, Phil; Mitchell, Jerry; Campbell, Boyd; Campbell, Dick; Holden, Jimmy; Howell, Bob; Young, Howdy.

Dick Campbell and Craig Schafer get ready and set for a fast take off in a race from one end of the pool to the other.

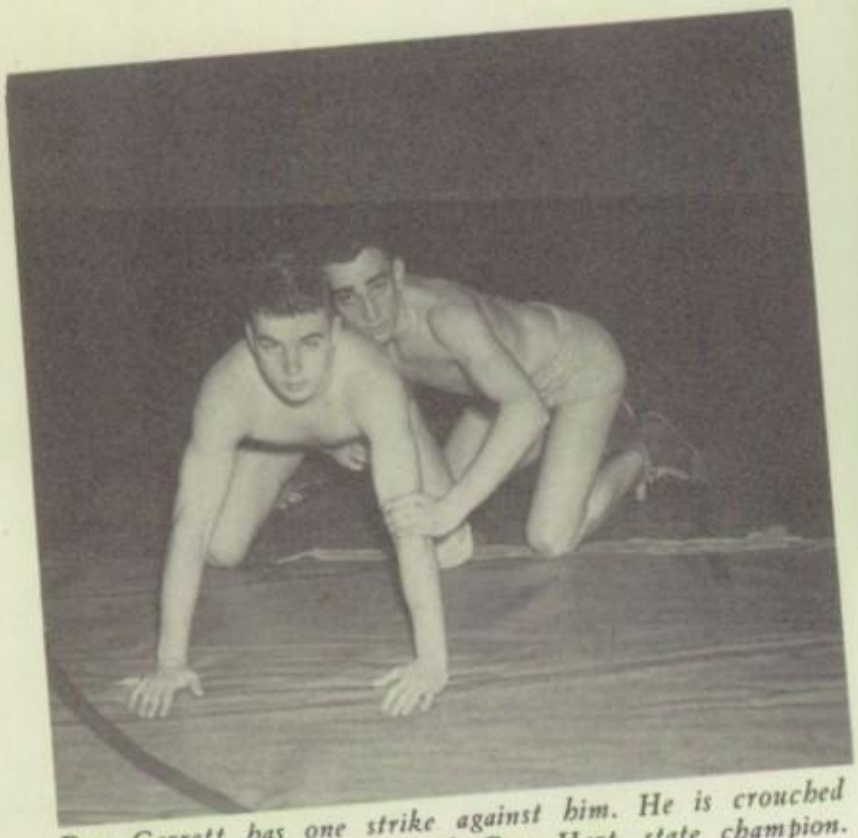
Actions Speak Louder Than Words

An old adage tells us that the proof of the pudding is in the eating. In applying this to our track team, we may safely state that when, like the pudding, these boys are put to the test, their "proof" does our school credit every time. The fine showing on the practice field gives us every confidence that Classen's 1952 track record will remain among the best of them.

Row 1, left to right: Colby, John; Smith, Bob; Trimble, Charles; Spence, Ned; Hall, Dick; Murphy, Tom; Day, Dick; Johnson, Richard; Hoke, David; Chance, Jay; Key, Charles; Maples, Ronnie; Harris, John. *Row 2:* Mines, Kenneth; Myers, Rabbit; Lewellen, Jim; Liebmann, Guy; Barnett, Jim; McPhail, Clark; Starr, Terry; Carey, Homer; Stone, Larry; Buchannan, Bob. *Row 3:* Irwin, Rex, coach; Mosley, Joe; Wolf, J. R.; Paine, Bert; Scruggs, Bob; Fearnow, Dick; Rucks, Ronnie; Le Van, Gerry; Ballard, Keith; Bickford, Paul; Shaffer, Jack; Easlon, Phil; Hefley, Joel; Kessler, Earl, manager.



Robert Smith and John Colby get a lesson in disc technique from track coach, Rex Irwin.



Don Garrett has one strike against him. He is crouched in the referee's position with Don Hart, state champion.

WRESTLING TEAM

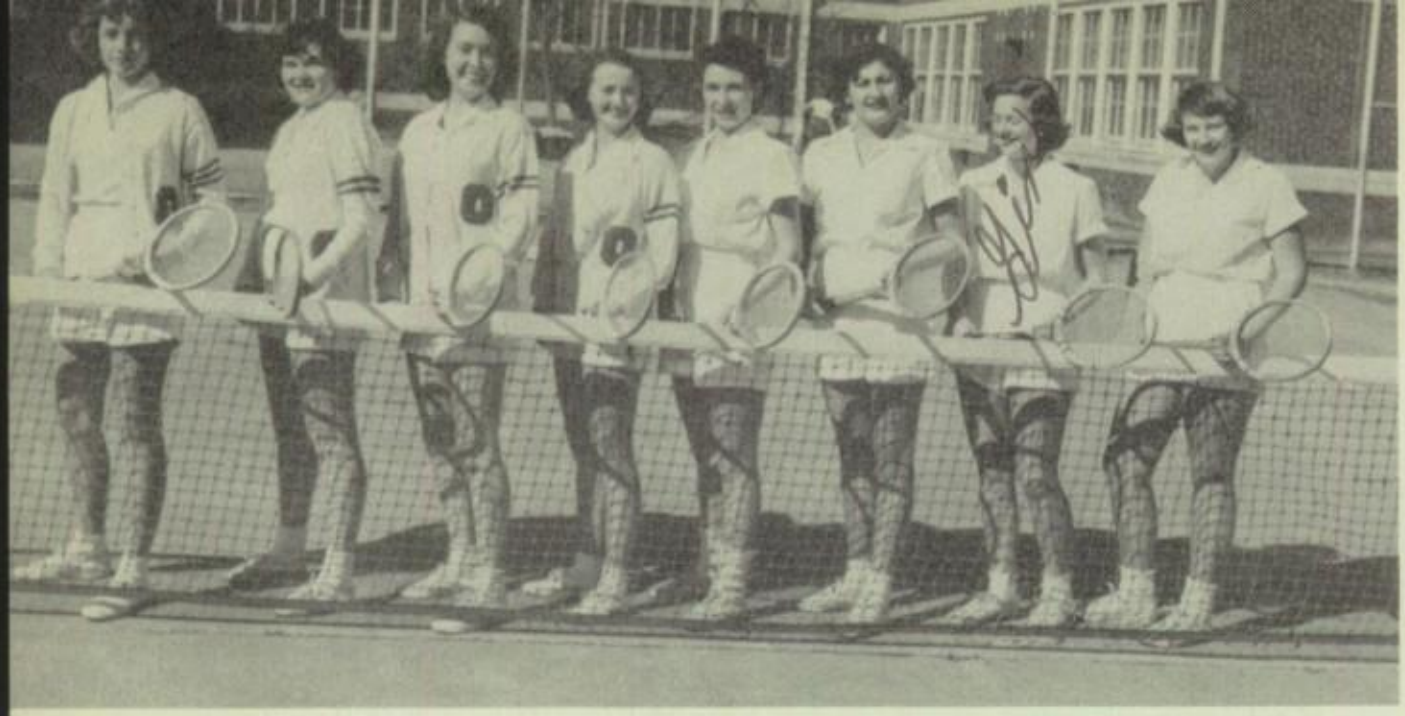
Row 1: Hoke, Jerry; Channer, Jerry; Bross, Jerry; Carr, Valdie; Garrett, Don; Hart, Don. *Row* 2: McDaniel, Larry; O'Toole, Richard; St. Clair, Glen; Conner, Humbert; Hixon, Russell.

Charles

BASEBALL TEAM

Row 1: Ziegenfuss, Paul; Murphy, Tom; Powell, Jerry; Irby, Don; Bartolino, Joe. *Row* 2: Hazelwood, Gene; Christensen, Dal; Green, Charles; Lance, Graydon; Holt, Larry; Myers, Norman; Davis, Clayton.

Clayton Davis, baseball coach, had some experienced starters when the season opened. Graydon Lance, Joe Bartolino, Paul Ziegenfuss and Don Irby, holding the bat, are getting batting tips.

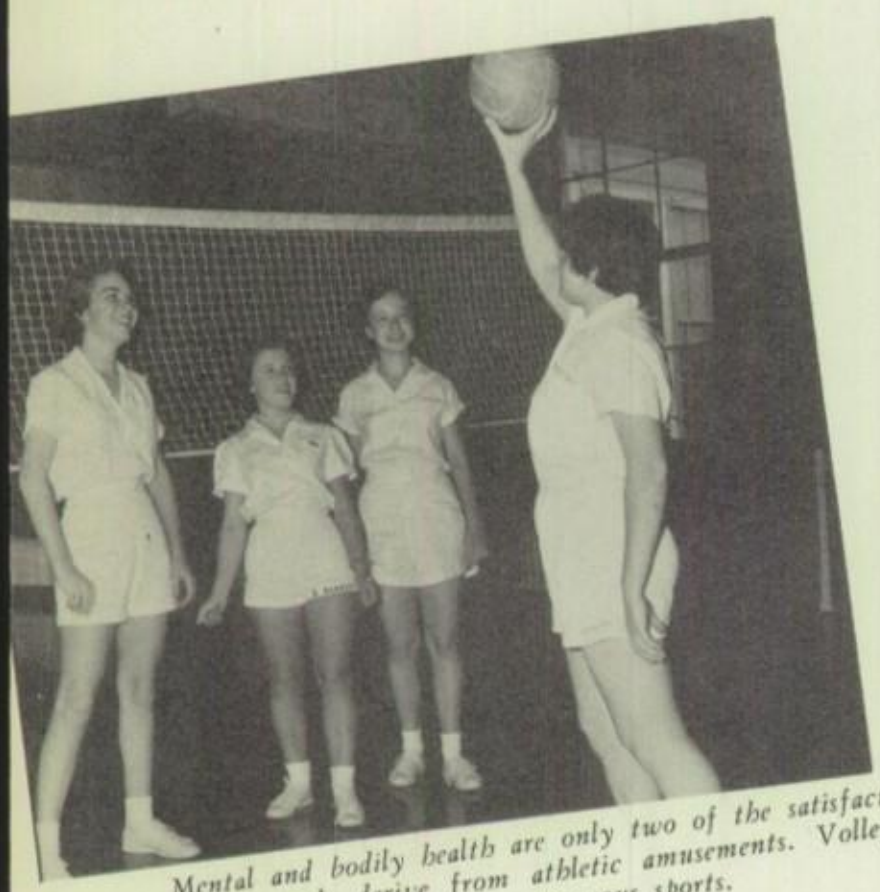


Left to right: Tunnell, Marietta; Manning, Judy; McBride, Ruth; Collins, Sue; Gordon, Barbara; Skalovsky, Libby; Highleyman, Ginger; Arnold Pat.

Girl sportsters have won as many laurels in their athletic division as have the boys. The 1952 championship for the first round robin girls' volleyball tournament went to Classen. The sportswomen won four out of five games played with city high schools.

Classen girls participated in the state swimming meet and the all-city badminton tournament. The girls also excelled in golf and table tennis.

GIRLS SPORTS



Mental and bodily health are only two of the satisfactions Classen girls derive from athletic amusements. Volleyball ranks as a favorite among strenuous sports.

Marrietta Tunnell's smile is as quick as her racke She is first on the tennis team.

Gloria Scholtka is prepared for a fast start. She is the winner of three state junior olympic titles in track. They are the 50 yard dash, 200 yard shuttle relay and the 50 yard low hurdles races. Gloria won the broad-jump contest in the district meet.

Lurlene Hess holds the number one spot on the badminton team. She is president of individual sports club.

You must watch the birdie in earnest to make the girls' badminton team at Classen. Members are: Hedrick, Jan, sponsor; Collins, Sue; Gordon, Barbara; Skalovsky, Libby; Sparks, Ethel; Beard, Sue; Hess, Lurlene, Tunnell, Marrietta.

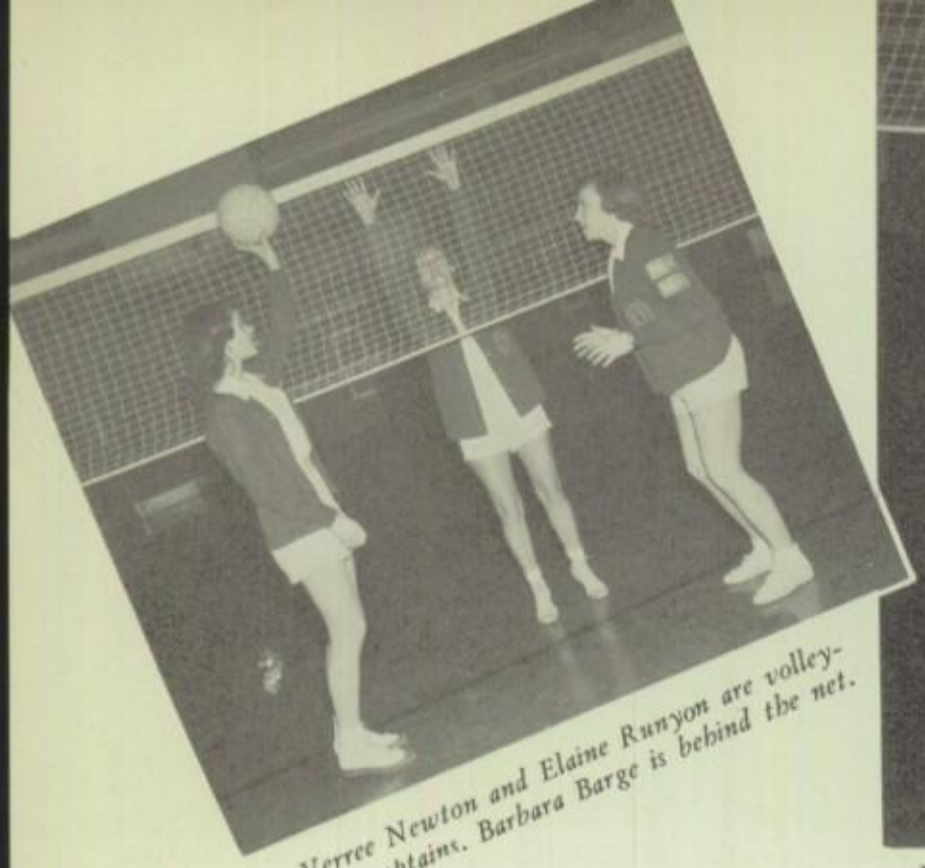
BADMINTON

Kathleen Broughton and Lurlene Hess are consistently good performers in the Classen badminton club, which walked away with first, second, third and fourth places in the state tourney. Kathleen won in the first class B singles.

Elizabeth Wiggins, Ping pong team star, swings a "mean" paddle.

PING PONG

When the girls' Pingpong squad takes over, the show demands an eagle eye to keep up with the fast action. Team members are Hess, Lurlene; Tunnell, Marrietta;Wiggins, Elizabeth; McBride, Ruth; Manning, Judith; Hairfield, Ann; Slaten, Shirley; Mattis, Jarmila.



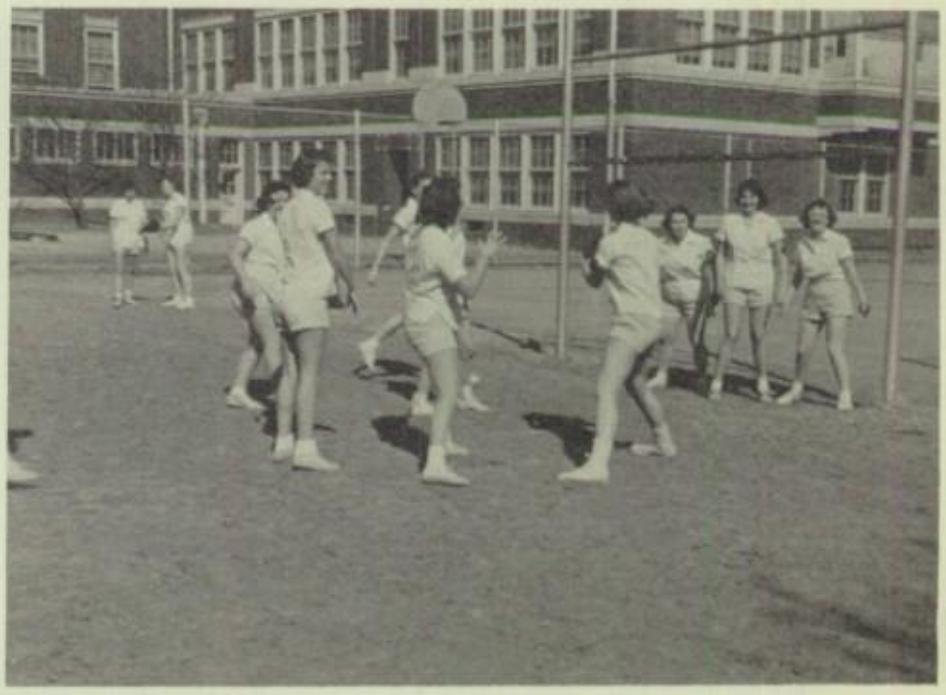
Verree Newton and Elaine Runyon are volleyball captains. Barbara Barge is behind the net.

Learning teamwork and good sportsmanship early in life, volleyball squad members get healthy workout in the gym almost daily. They carried away winning scores in the c round robin tournament. *Row* 1, *left to right*: Barge, Barbara; Cox, Gail; Stoldt, Sue. *R* 2: Kessler, Almeda; Clark, Charlyne; Gentry, Dorotha; Keel, Wanda; Newton, Verr Runyon, Elaine.

VOLLEY BALL

A fast, exciting game is played in the gym almost every day of the volleyball season.

Quick as a Flash

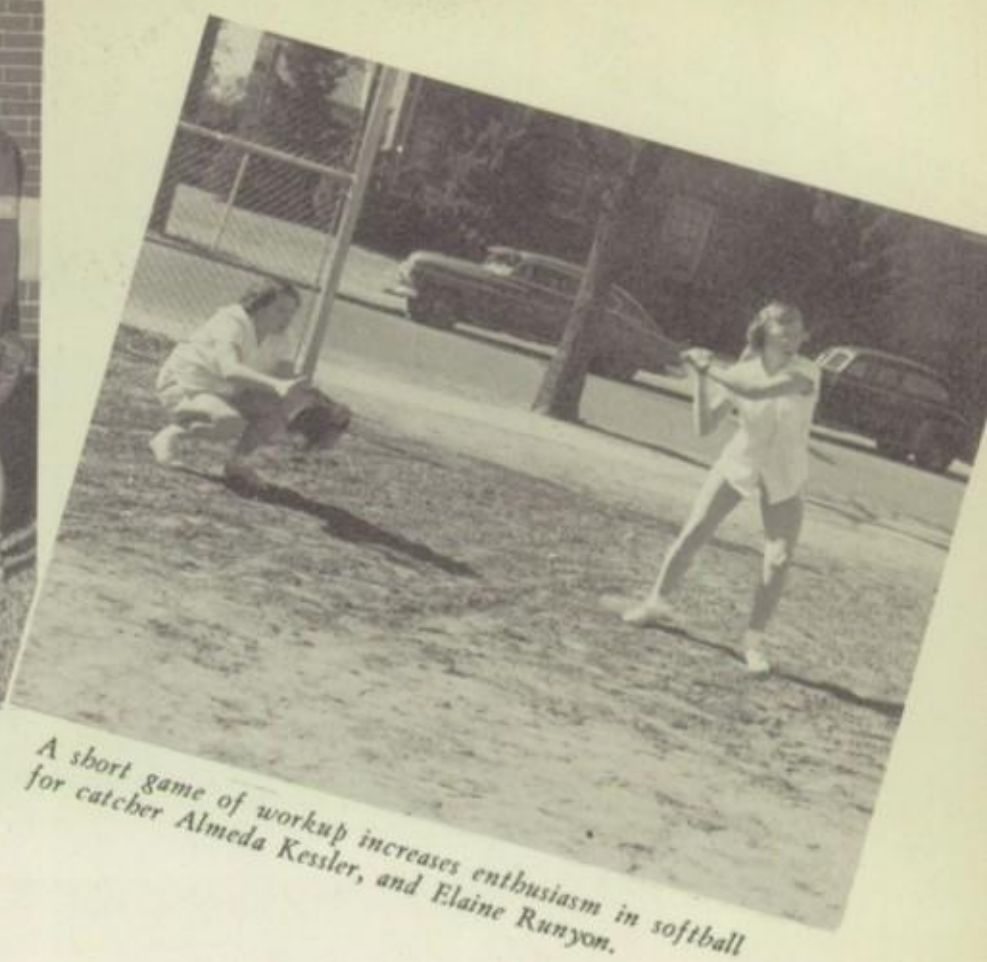


A few outside gymnastics were a relief from being cooped up all winter. Fresh air and sunshine made for energy plus.

FIELD BALL

On your toes! Fieldball demands an alert mind and nimble feet. Classen's team boasts lots of both. *Row* 1, *left to right*: Hyden, Margaret; Cox, Gail; Stoldt, Sue; Kessler, Almeda; Smith, Margie. *Row* 2: Gentry, Dorotha; Barge, Barbara; Grossman, Rosanna; Keel, Wanda; Runyan, Elaine; Chesher, Sue; Deffner, Norma.

These girls manage their pop ups and fly balls with characteristic feminine ease, proving the female of the species has as cool a head on the diamond as does the male. *Left to right*, softball team members: Grossman, Rosanna; Keel, Wanda; Runyon, Elaine; Stoldt, Sue; Gentry, Dorotha; Barge, Barbara; Chesher, Sue; Kessler, Almeda; Deffner, Norma; Cox, Gail.



A short game of workup increases enthusiasm in softball for catcher Almeda Kessler, and Elaine Runyon.

SOFTBALL

Afloat or Ashore

Margaret Whale shows some of the swimming form which has won her 12 trophies and 65 medals.

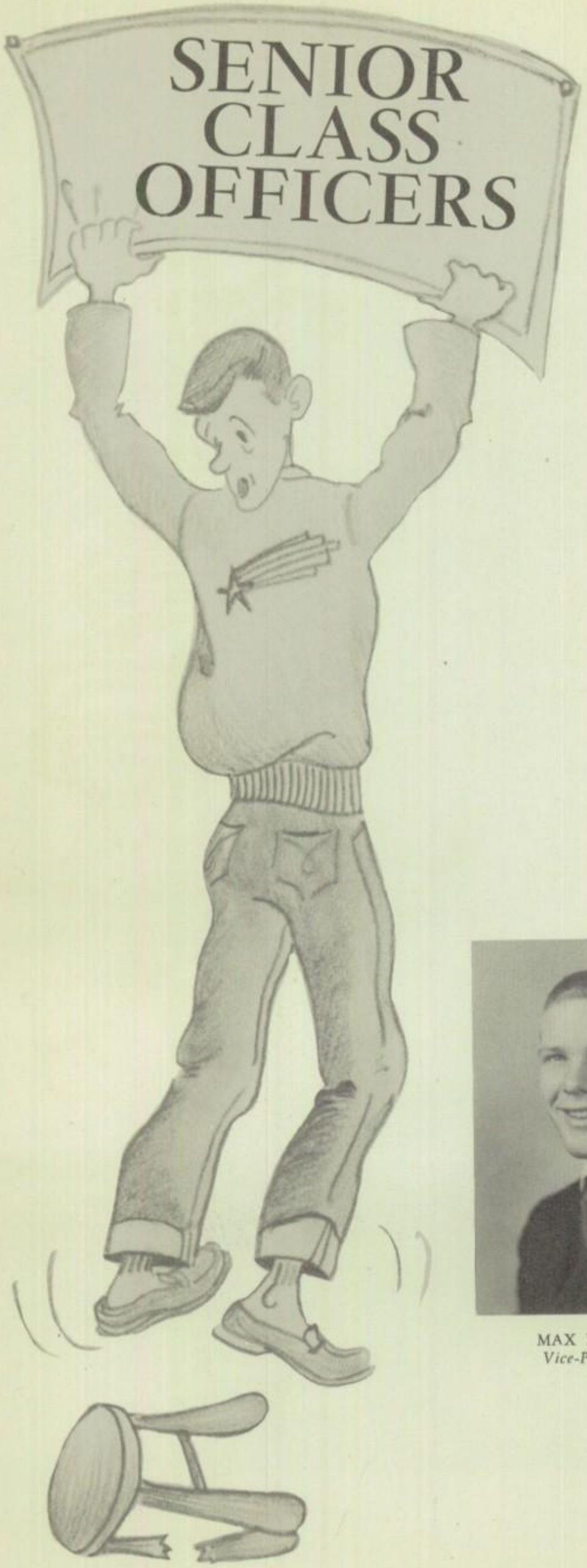
GIRLS SWIMMING

Classen's water nymphs are not only pretty, but they also are swimmers par excellence. The team won recognition in aquatic meets over the state this year, and some members drew personal praise and trophies. *Left to right: Diwoky, Susan; Whale, Margaret; Flynn, Roberta; Lynn, Ann; Prichard, Pat; Fleming, Betty; White, Arthetta.*

WE LIVE AND LEARN

FEAR

SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS



JOHN BARNHILL
President

MAX NICHOLS
Vice-President

OFFICERS

Bert) You know that everyone thinks so much of you and I can certainly see why. Here's to the fun we have together & will have. Sincerely, Herwanna

HERWANNA BESETT
Secretary

BILL FRANK
Treasurer

ED KNEZEK
Sergeant-at-Arms

JACK ABERNATHY

BILL ABBOTT

BETTY ADAIR

JIM ADAIR

MARTHA ADA

JOHNNIE ADAMS

RAYMOND ADAMS

DIANE AFFLECK

PHYLLIS ANDERSON

JEANETTE AINSWO

BOB ALEXANDER

GLENDA ALEXANDER

DANNY ALYEA

EUGENA ATKINSON

JANE AYDELOT

DORIS BACON

JOEL BAGBY

CHARLES BAGLEY

LARRY BAGWELL

PAT BARKER

JOHN BARNHILL

PAT BATES

OTIS BEALMEAR

DARLENE BEAN

MARGARET BEA

SHIRLEY BENNETT

JAMES BERGSTRAND

SUSAN BERRY

HERWANNA BESETT

PHYLLIS BEVERLY

JO BIGGERSTAFF

LISBETH BIRDSEYE

JACK BLACKBURN

RUTH BLEYBERG

GERALDINE BOLLINGER

Memories

Lifetime of Memories

George Sturm enjoys a restful day on the beach surrounded by these four lovelies, Nancy Kerr, Susan Shields, Harriet Rosenstahl and Beulah Kail.

FRANCES BOVERI

NANCY BOROUGHS

ANN BOYLE

RICHARD BRAMMER

GEORGIA BRANE

DON BRAY

BETTY BRIGHTWELL

JERRY BROSS

DAVID BRAMLETT

HAROLD BROW

RUTH BROWN

TRAVIS BROWN

BARBARA BUCHANAN

DEE BULKLEY

PAUL BUNC

RALPH BUNCH

BOBBY JEAN BURBRIDGE

BEVERLY BURNS

VIVIAN BURNS

MARY JANE BUR

ANGELA BUSH

JEAN ELLEN BYRUM

JIM CALDWELL

BOYD CAMPBELL

DICK CAMPBEL

SHIRLEY CARLETON

VALDIE CARR

HELEN CARTER

SHIRLEY CASEY

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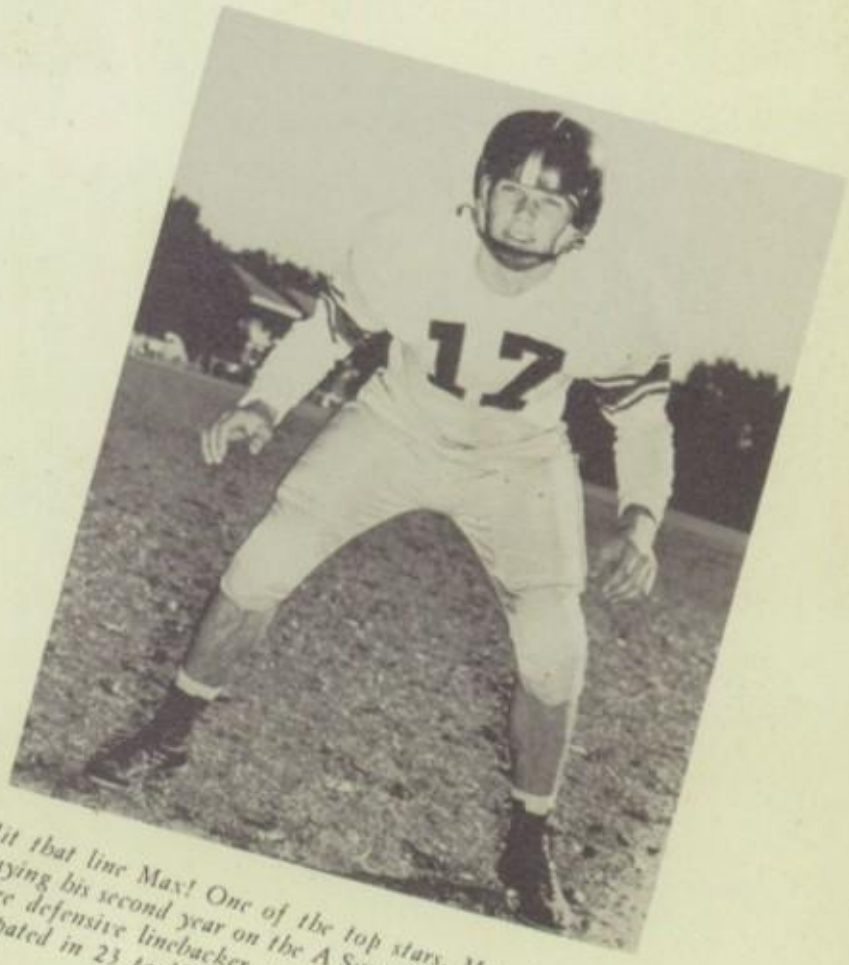
ELAINE CHERRY

JUDY CLARK

SENIORS

A Sign of Distinction



Hit that line Max! One of the top stars, Max Nichols is playing his second year on the A Squad team. His positions were defensive linebacker and offensive guard. Max participated in 23 tackles in the Ardmore game.

VERA MAE CLARK

MARY CLAYTON

JOYCE CLEMONS

MARY HELEN COACHMAN

ROY COBB

CAROL COLE

NAN COLLINS

SUE COLLINS

JANET COLLISSON

BETTY COPELA

LLOYD CORLEY

PEGGY CORNWELL

FRED COUNTRYMAN

GAIL COX

BUDDY CRANO

MIKE CREPPS

ROSIE CRUTCHER

GAIL DANIELSON

DOUGLAS DAVIDGE

ANN DAVIS

SEYMOUR DAVIS

DICK DAY

CAMERON DEEN

BARBARA DEFKOWITZ

MARILYN DILLING

MONA DILLMAN

EMMA DONCEEL

MARK DORFF

JILDA DOUGLAS

JANE EACOCK

HELEN EDWARDS

BARBARA ELLIS

ELAINE ESTES

CAROL FAGERQUIST

LOUIS FASZHOLZ

SENIORS

It's Grand to be a Senior

Canaries Bobbie Jean Burbridge and Joe Stevens sang for a Classen-Central win in the annual assembly.

JIMMY FENTRISS

GLORIA FERRIS

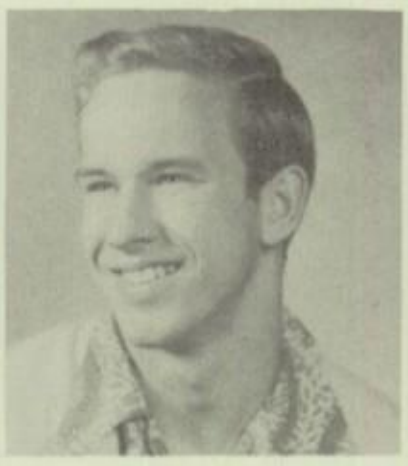
NANCY FITCH

ROBERT FOSTER

TOM FOX

DOROTHY FLUHR

ROBERTA FLYNN



CHARLES FOREMAN

BILL FRANK

JIM FRAZIER

SHIRLEY FRENCH

DON FULLER

KATHRYN GAINES

BILL GALLASPY

CAROLYN GA

LOU ANN GARDNER

MARY RUTH GARDNER

REX GARR

DORTHA GENTRY

BETTY GILBE

SHIRLEY GLASGOW

CAROLYN GOOD

MAX GOODMAN

BARBARA GORDON

SARA GORE

JAY GRABIL

GRETCHEN GRAENING

JANELLE GRAHAM

GEORGIA GRAVES

JUNE GRAY

TOMMY GRAY

CHARLES GREEN

JOE GREEN

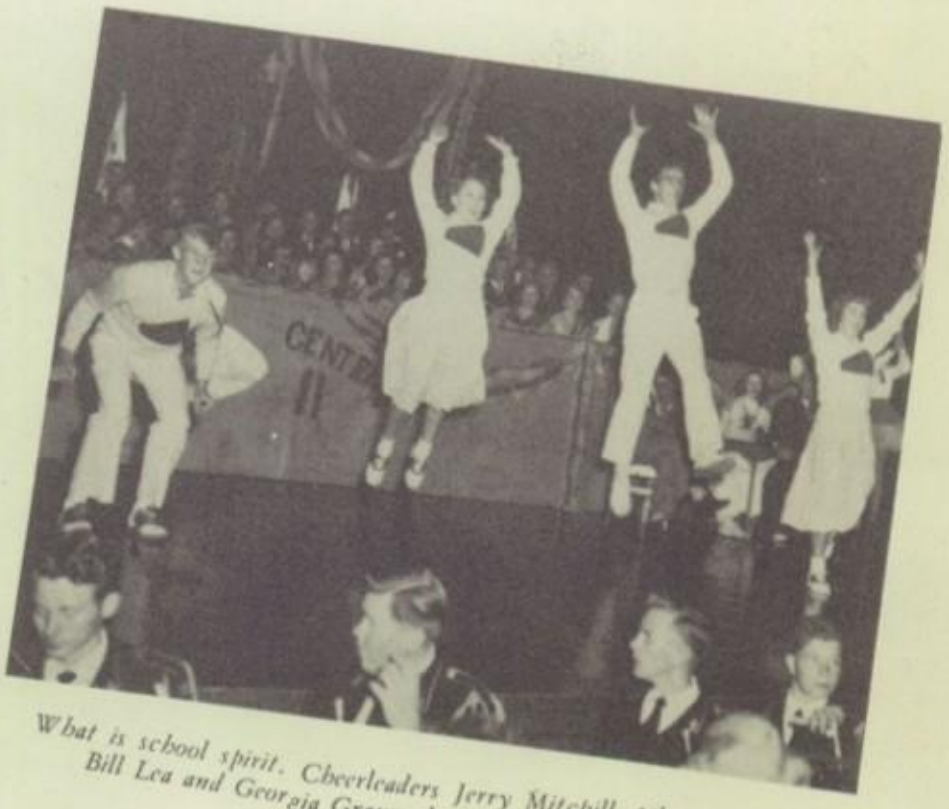
VIRGINIA GREEN

CYNTHIA GREINER

Bert—
It really has been a pribilege knowing you this past year or so. Here's wishing you a great deal of luck in your professional career. You really have a wonderful personality.
Robert Foster

SENIORS

Our Golden Jubilee



What is school spirit. Cheerleaders Jerry Mitchill, Gloria Littrell, Bill Lea and Georgia Graves demonstrate one phase of it.

JOE GRIFFIN

BETHYL GRIMSLEY

ANN GRUBB

LARRY GULIHUR

DAVID HAGGA

ANN HAIRFIELD

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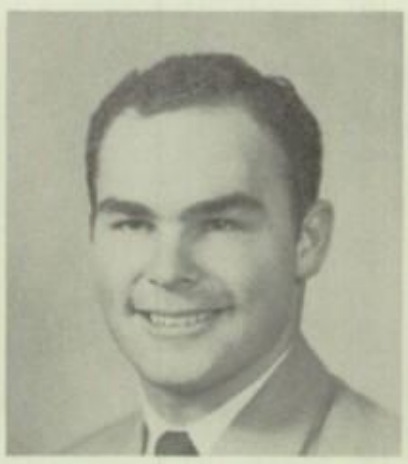

RALPH HARVEY

MARGARET HAR

DONALD HART

FRANCES HART

JO ELLEN HART

NANCY HEARE

LARRY HEDRIC

KATHRYN HENSCH

MARGARET HENDERSON

BILL HENNERS

ALICE HENNINGER

JIM HENRY

LURLENE HESS

CAROLINE HESTER

RICHARD HIATT

JAMES HIBBARD

BETTY SUE HILL

ELINOR HILL

DAVID HOKE

GAYLE HOLDEN

JIM HOLDEN

NORMA HOLDER

DREAMS

. . . and Dreams Come True

After formal coronation of Orbit Queen, Georgia Graves' dream comes true.

BOBBY HOLLOWAY

PHILIP HOLMES

SHIRLEY HOLT

JEAN HOOVER

ELEANOR HOPPE

JEANNE HORN

JANICE HORNE

DONNA HOWARD

LOUISE HOYLE

JAN HUDDLESTO

HELEN HYDE

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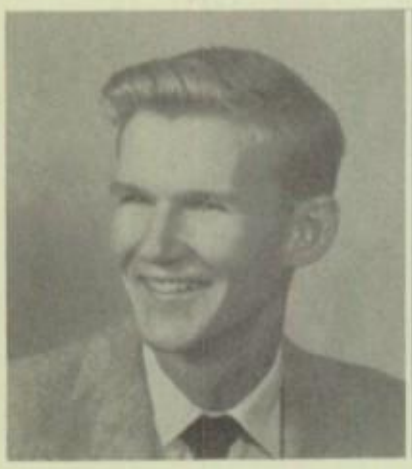


RICHARD JOHNSON

GORDON JOHNSTON

NANCY JOHNSTON

BOZETTA JONES

CATHERINE JONE

ERNESTINE JONES

KAREN JONES

KATHRYN JONES

MARILYN JONES

MARILYN L. JONES

CAROL JORDAN

MARY JORDAN

JIM JORSKI

PHILLIP KAHLER

KON KEESEE

Bertrum —
You are one of the best natured, kindest, funniest, etc. I've ever known. We've really had fun, haven't we? Best, we've been good friends for a long time & I hope we'll continue to be so. You have really earned your nickname "sunshine." If ever you're out Hoover way this summer, drop by. Love ya!
Dave Hoover

Diploma of Merit

Rosemary Crutcher makes a peach of a Meteor queen. The pep club presented its 51-52 royalty with an orchid, paddle, jacket and coronation kiss. Rosie was crowned at the Christmas formal.

CAROLYN KENNAN

ELIZABETH KENNEDY

LEE KENNEDY

ANN KERR

EARL KESSLER

SANDRA KESSLER

ROSEMARY KESTER

CHARLES KEY

ED KNEZEK

KENNETH KOERN

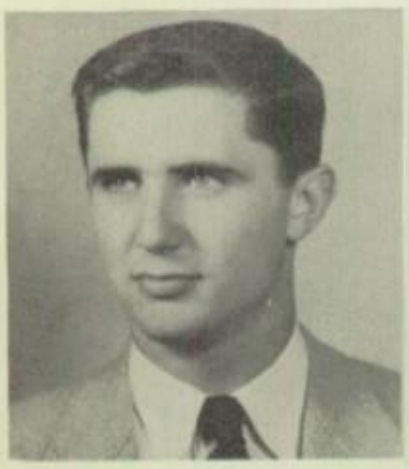
PAT KOGER

ROBERT KROUTIL

CHARLES KRUGER

ROLAND KUNKEL

MARY LOUISE KUWI



DON LACKEY

PAULINE LANDON

ELIZABETH LANE

BETH LANG

JIM LANMAN

DOROTHY LATHAM

BILL LEA

MERILYN LEE

HARRIET LEHMER

DAN LEININGER

TOM LEKAS

EUGENIA LEONHARDT

GERRY LE VAN

LOIS LEWELLAN

NANCY LEWINSOHN

ROBERT LEWIS

JIM LITTLE

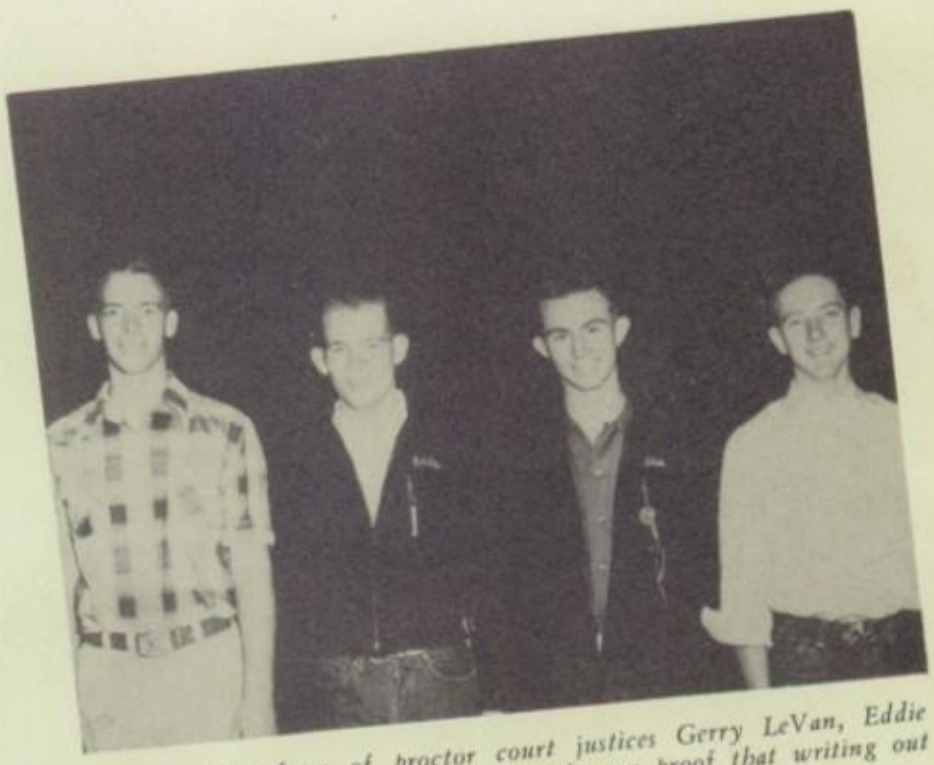
SHIRLEY LOVE

DIANE LOWERY

J. W. LUNDY

SENIORS

It's Great to Own a Diploma



The smiling faces of proctor court justices Gerry LeVan, Eddie Knezek, Charles Kruger and Joel Bagby are proof that writing out sentences isn't taken too seriously by them.

JAMES LUTON

CION LYNN

RUTH McBRIDE

BILLY McCALL

JOANNE McCAL

DORIS McCUBBINS

PAT McDOUGAL

JIM McGUIRE

BILL McINNIS

DICK McKOWN

TOM McMULLEN

LA NITA MADDEN

BERNADINE MADOLE

MARILYN MAIDT

BOB MANSFIEL

RONNIE MAPLES

JERRY MARSHALL

PHIL MARTIN

DONALD MASSAD

PATRICIA MATE

KENNETH MATTHEWS

SUE MELLS

MARY ANN METZ

STEWART MEYERS

ROBERTA MIDDI

DAVID MILLER

KENNETH MINES

BARBARA MINNICH

GEORGE MISKOVSKY

HARRY MITCHELL

PAUL MITCHELL

GENE MORKIN

DONNA MORRIS

MARGARET MORRIS

MARILYN MORRIS

Bert,
This is really true of you. I don't think anyone will ever forget you because you are so much fun.
Good luck
Pat Fleming

SENIORS

Never to be Forgotten

Dick Campbell, Richard Johnson, Nancy Rardin and Ton Fuller are so natural in front of a camera. This scene by the sea was part of the Orbit assembly.

TOBY MOORE

GAYLE MOUSNER

CHARLES MUNSON

TOM MURPHY

JAMES MUGG

KENNETH MUHLHAUSEN

CAROL MULLINS

LYNN MYERS

RONALD MYERS

JEANETTE NAIFE

VERREE NEWTON

ROBERT NICHOLL

JOAN NICHOLS

MAX NICHOLS

CARYL NILES

IRA OLDHAM

RICHARD O'TOOLE

PATSY OTTINGER

MARTHA ANN PADEN

BARBARA PAPPI

JERRY PARKER

WILLIAM PEARSON

JOHN PEDRICK

CAROLYN PEEK

AVA PELMULDE

CLAUDE PENDLETON

MARGARET PENNY

RHODA PERCIVAL

DON PETERS

CATHERINE PHILLIPS

WANDA PHILLIPS

CELIA PITNEY

KELSEY POKORNY

PAT POORE

JAMES PORCH

Nothing Could Be Finer

Beauty and brains are synonymous with Margy Stipes and Margaret Morris. Speaking of brawn cast an eye in the direction of Tom Murphy and Dick Sorenson. Margy and Margaret were Orbit queen candidates. Tom and Dick managed their campaigns.

HARRIET PORTER

JANE PRICE

BUDDY PRINCE

SHIRLEY PRINCE

JOYCE PRITCHA

ALFRED PUGH

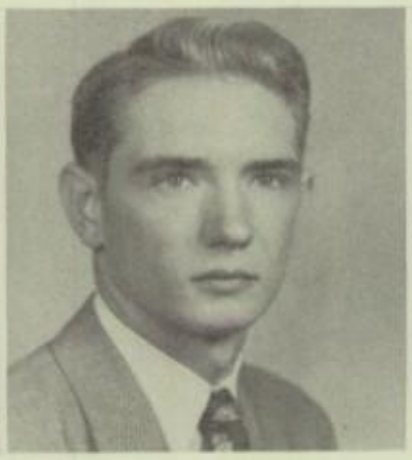
DONALD PURSLEY

PAT RAFFETY

DODIE RAMSEY

NANCY RARDI

BERT REED



DAN REED

CAROL REEVES

WANITA REINKE

AGNES RENEC

CHARLES REY

JIMMY RHOADES

JOHN RICHARDSON

MARY RIGG

CLYDE RIGGS

JUDY RIGGS

EILEEN RILEY

SUZANNE RILEY

LARRY ROBERTSON

JIMMY ROGER

HAYNERD ROLSTON

JOAN ROOKS

JO ANN ROOPE

DAVID ROSE

ERRY SUE ROUNDS

RONNY RUCKS

CAROLYN RUDOLPH

ELAINE RUNYON

MARY JO RUSK

VIRGINIA RYDEN

SIZZLERS

A Prize Award

Rosemary Skinner exhibits the National Debate trophy she and Arnold Fagin, 1951 Classen graduate, won in Los Angeles, Calif., this summer. Individual plaques and medals were awarded the contestants.

JO ANN SAGERS

LILLIAN SAMARA

BOB SCHWARTZ

BOBBIE SCHWARTZ

LETA SCOTT

SHIRLEY SCOTT

SHERILL SETZER

ERLENE SEXTON

MERICA SHAWVER

DOW SHEREA

WAYNE SHERMAN

SUSAN SHIELDS

TOM SHOEBOTHAM

DONNA SHOSHONE

CAROLYN SIBE

RICHARD SIVALLS

ROSEMARY SKINNER

SHIRLEY SLATEN

MARIS SLOBODIN

BOBBY SMITH

DELORES SMITH

DONALD SMITH

HARRY SMITH

JANET SMITH

ROBERT SMIT

DICK SORENSON

SUE SORRENSON

GARY SPAAN

JAMES SPECK

PAT SPEER

PHILLIP SPRANKLE

ARMELITA SPURLOCK

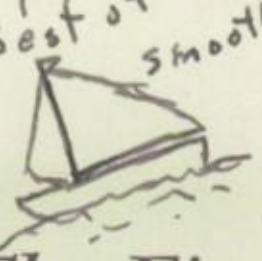
PEGGY STANLEY

TERRY STARR

GLEN ST. CLAIR

Bert -
It's going to be -
We've had a lot of
fun in C.H.S. and
I'm glad we've gotten
to be such good friends.
We'll have a lot of fun next year
doing things.
Don Smith

Bert.
You're really a swell guy
& we've had a lot of fun
being with you.
Best of everything to you.
smooth sailing
C.T. ★



The Final Results

Kon Keesee portrayed "Father of the Bride" in the all school play. Betty Wright was the lovely bride. Kon's interpretation of a distinguished father reluctant to lose his child in marriage was perfect.

MITCH STENZLER

SANDRA STEVENS

MARGY STIPES

LOIS STONE

DYAN SYMON

GAYLE TATE

JOE TERRETT

SARA THOMAS

RALPH THOMPSON

SUZAN THORN

FRANK TOWNSLEY

ROYCE TRAMMEL

CHARLES TRIMBLE

JANE TROUT

CAROL UPTON

NORMA URBAN

SANDY VANCE

EUGENE VANHORN

WANDA VORIS

PAT WADE

RUTH WALKER

MARY LOIS WALLACE

HUITT WALLIS

EEDEL WARD

JENNY WARE

MARY WARNER

MARGARET WARNICK

MARTI WARSASKI

CAROLYN WASHINGTON

CORINE WATERS

JANICE WATTERS

RICHARD WEAVER

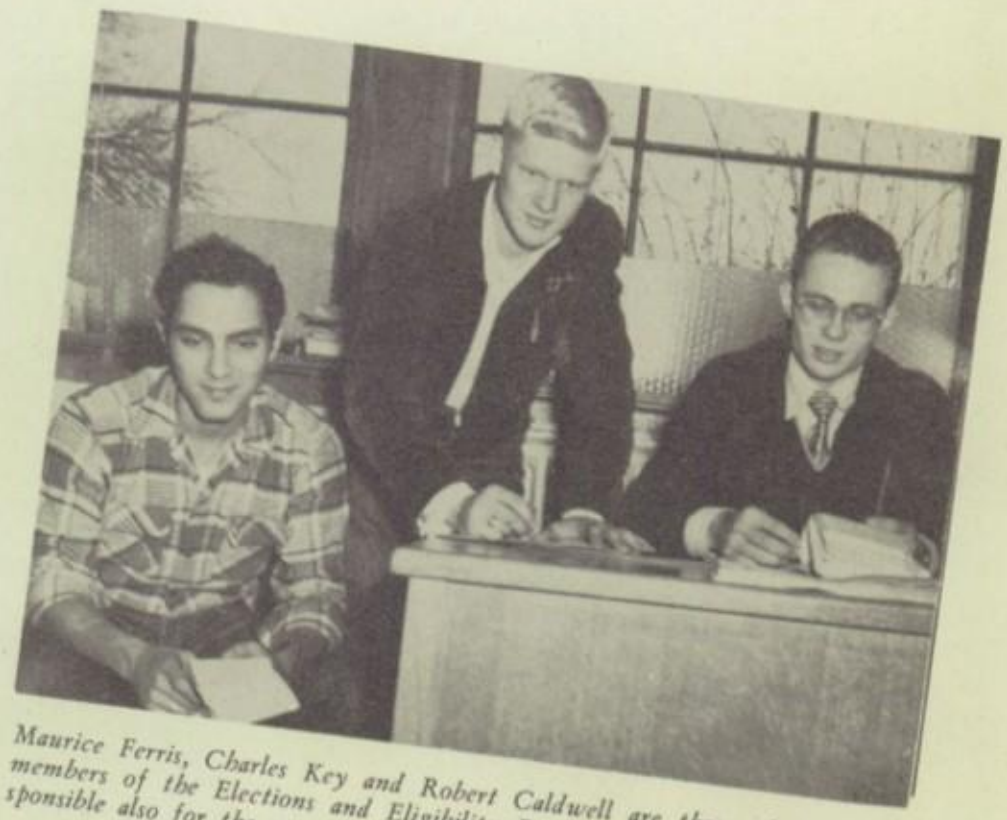
BETTY WEBSTER

MEREDITH WEBSTER

BOBBIE WHARTON

SENIORS

Students of Achievement



Maurice Ferris, Charles Key and Robert Caldwell are three of the four members of the Elections and Eligibility Board. Charles Kruger was responsible also for the success of election this year.

MARILYN WHITE

DONALD WICKENS

RONALD WICKENS

PAT WILEY

BOB WILHITE

ARLIE WILKERSON

NANCY WILLIAMSON

ROBERT WILLIAMSON

C. L. WILMOTT

PATTY WILMO

FAITH WILSON

JERRY WILSON

MARY LOU WILSON

JERRY WINDHAM

CHARLES WINGF

KENNETH WITTEN

THERESA WOLF

MARIAN WOLFE

JANE ANN WOODS

LEWIS WOOLE

JOLINE WOOTEN

CARL WOOTEN

MITZI WORTHINGTON

BETTY WRIGHT

JO ANNE WRIG

JOHN WRIGHT

NANCY WALTON

CHARLES WYSONG

RICHARD YEAGER

PAT YOUNG

GEORGE ZAHLER

PAUL ZIEGENFUSS

ED ZSCHIESCHE

CLIFFORD BARBER

DELORES BELTS

SENIORS

Days of Reminiscence

Even rain doesn't chase loyal Classen boosters from the scene of a football game. Faith Wilson, Eunice Jenkins and Susan Shields, in the foreground, are looking for a silver lining in that cloud.

BILL BROWN

BARBARA BUCHANAN

JOHN COLBY

JIMMY CULBERT

MILLIE EMERSON

DON GARRETT

BOBBYE GIBBINS

GILL GIBSON

JOHN HARRIS

NANCY HARRIS

PAULALA HORN

CHARLES HOUSTON

HELEN HUMPHREY

DICK KERRICK

MAX KING

YVONNA McDONALD

KATHRYN McMURPHY

JIM MISKOVSKY

JAMES MONTGOMERY

DICK MORRISON

SHIRLEY SPENCER

SUE SORRENSON

GWEN TOWE

SANDY VANCE

MICKEY WALKE

HEATH WEST

BOB DILLMAN

DON BAXTER

BOB BOOTH

CLETA MAE BROWN

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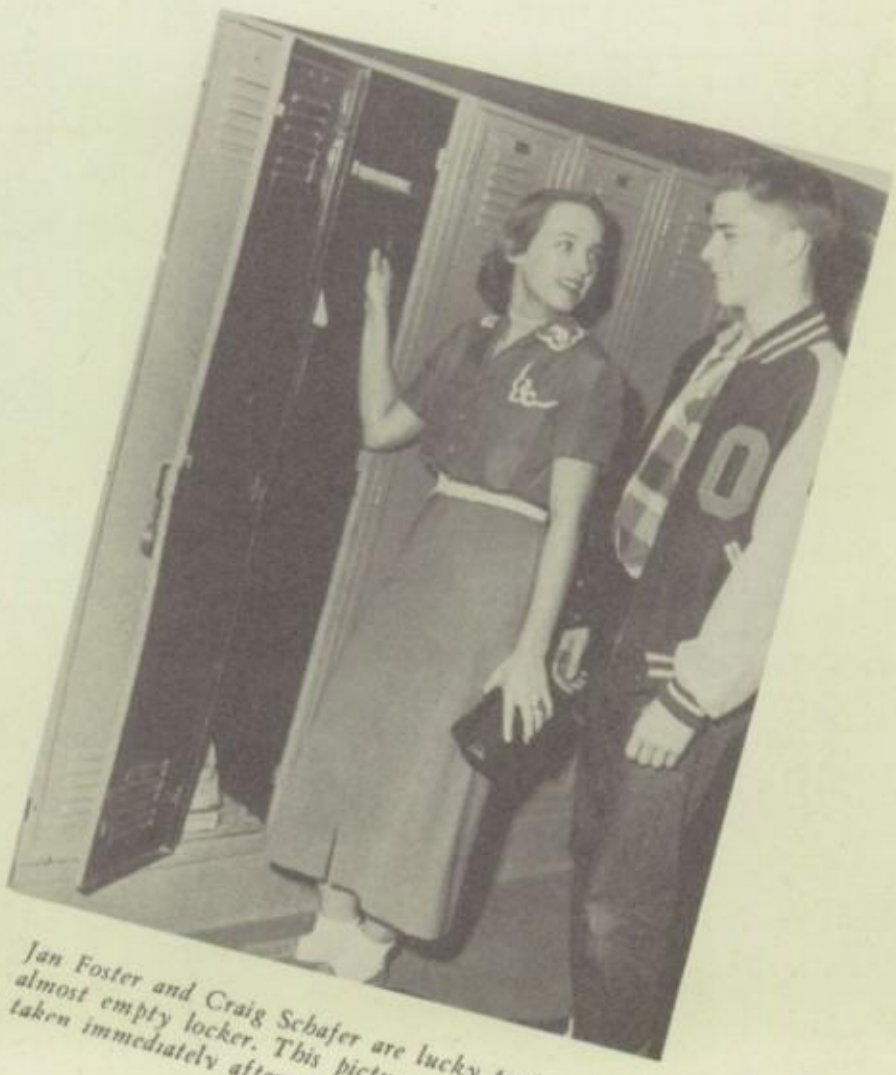
SUE CHESHER

JOAN DUNCAN

FREDA DE VENY

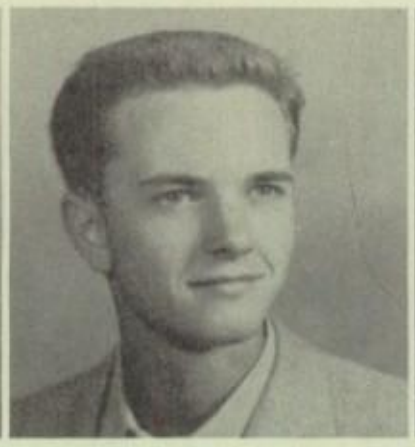
SENIORS

The Thrill of Graduation

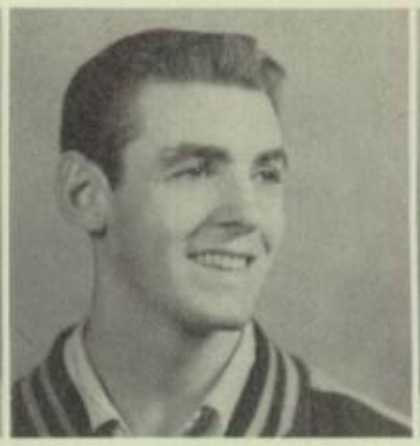


Jan Foster and Craig Schafer are lucky to have an almost empty locker. This picture must have been taken immediately after a locker inspection.

MARGARET DYKES



BILL EASLEY



JERRY EATON

BETH EIGHMY

ANN FLANAGAN

JAN FOSTER

CAROL HURST

JACK McGUIRE

DAN McNATT

MARJORIE MILLE

MYRL MINTER

CAROLYN NOELL

MARY PANOS

DAVID POTTS

COLLEEN PUETT

HELEN SUE SMITH

WAYMAN THOMPSON

LOU WOODMANSEE

BILL GILLESPIE

ROGER KUNKEL

PAULA SINGLEY

R. HIATT

SENIOR AUTOGRAPHS

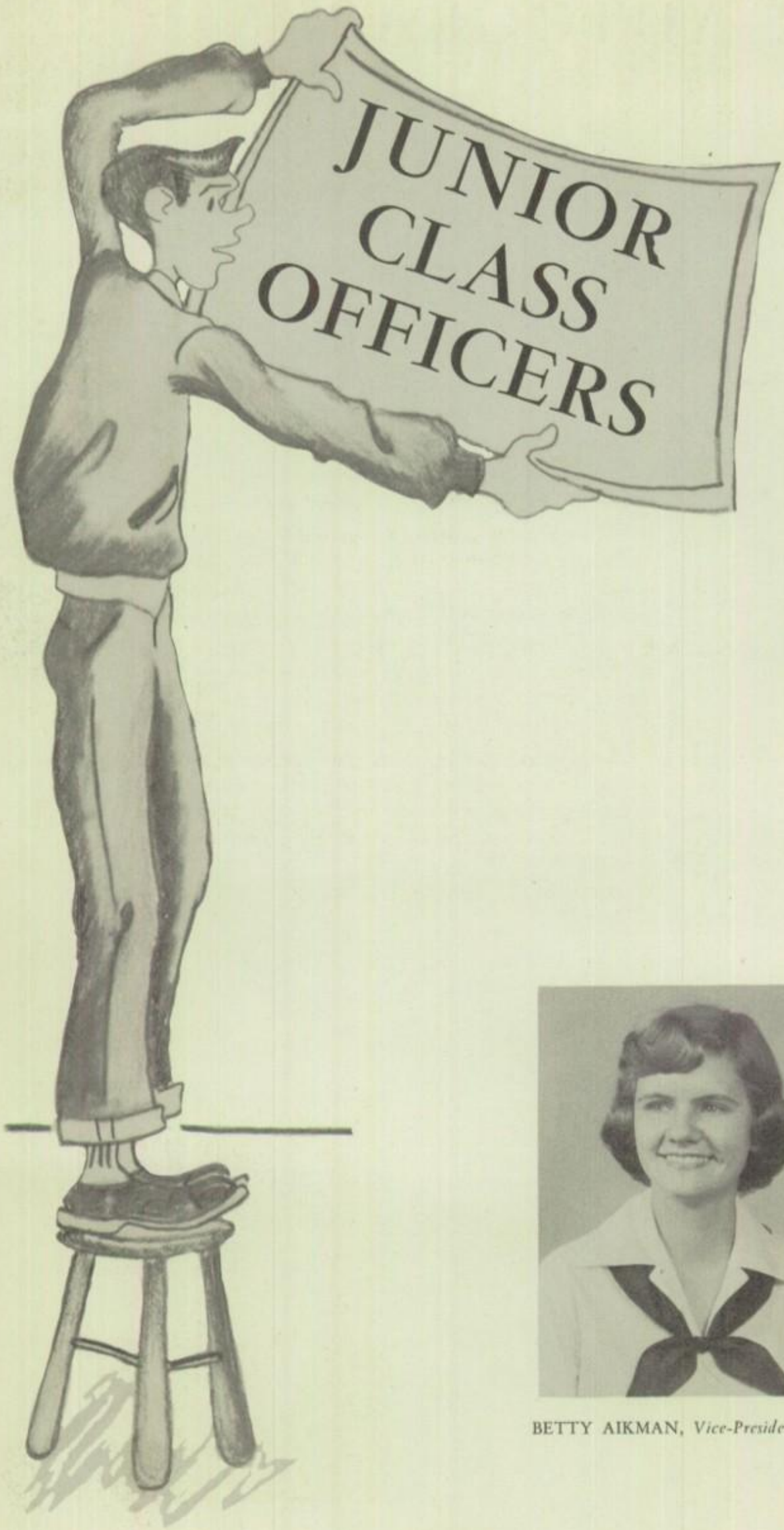
Dear Bert -

To my very favorite friend. It has meant so very much to me to know you, Bert. all of these years we have had so much fun together and with all the kids too. I am hoping to see more of you next year at O.U. and of course this summer at camp. Remember we must keep up that tradition of bridge game.

Best of luck to a swell fellow with a wonderful personality. May you receive all you deserve and that is everything one could imagine.

Don't forget the Seniors of '52, and all the wonderful friends and times you have at St Luke's.

always yours.
Judy Clark



PAGE DOBSON, *President*

BETTY AIKMAN, *Vice-President*

JUNIORS

GLORIA LITTRELL, *Secretary*

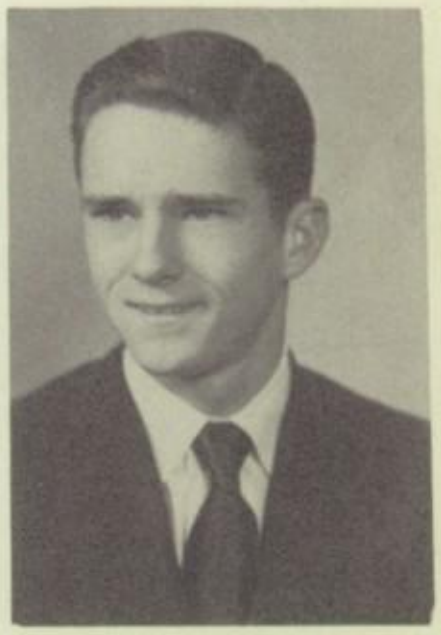
Junior class members automatically follow in the footsteps of the seniors, realizing they will inherit the responsibilities of the ones who precede them.

Classen high school does not think of the underclassmen just as those who will return for another year. The juniors are regarded as potential leaders.

These juniors inherit the traditions that the seniors of previous years have perpetuated. They have the combined qualities of leadership, scholarship and service which have made Classen one of the foremost among high schools. Next year the juniors will assume the responsibilities and enjoy the privileges of seniors. We know they can do it—so good luck, juniors. You've a wonderful year ahead of you.

Miss Lucille Willoughby, sponsor of the junior class, has contributed time, energy and thought in guiding the junior class, giving encouragement and personal assistance unstintingly. Her influence has been ever present in this year of her sponsorship of the junior class.

LOUISE PRIDDY, *Treasurer*



AL STEADLEY, *Sergeant-at-arms*

SANDRA ABERNATHY

JIM ADAIR

BETTY AIKMAN

JOHN ATWOOD

ELANOR AUSTIN

CAROLEE AX

NEVA BAIRD

CAROL BAKER

WILONA BAKER

JACK BARLOW

SUE BEARD

BARBARA BEL

JUDY BELT

JERRY BERNARDY

BERNARD BLAKE

RAMONA BODENHEIMER

PHYLLIS BOULT

WILLIAM BRA

WANDA BRANCH

LINDA BRITTON

KATHLEEN BROUGHTON

MEREDITH BROWER

JOE BROWN

LARRY BRO

MARIAN BROWN

VIRGIL BROWNE

ALICE BUCHANAN

MARY BURMEISTER

FRANCES BYERS

DOROTHY

DIANE CAREY

CAROLYN CARROLL

HOMER CARY

JOHN CAUGHRON

JOE CHAMBERS

ROY CHAND

HELEN CHATBURN

DAL CHRISTENSEN

SIDNEY CHUPACK

CHARLYNE CLARK

CAROLYN CLARKSON

JOE DON CLAYTON

SUE CLEMONS

BRUCE COCHRAN

ALLEN COGGINS

DON COLERICK

JOYCE COLLINS

LARRY COLLINS

NORMA COLVILLE

MARILYN COLWELL

HUMBERT CONNER

JEANETTE COOK

JIMMIE CORNETT

HAROLD COUCH

To Jeff

You are one of the most wonderful guys I have ever met. I have never seen as much personality all in one person. I hope we may be friends in the many years to come. I would wish you all the luck in the world but anyone as wonderful as you will naturally have it anyhow.

Mike

Dean

Just Right for Pure Delight

At one of Classen's coldest football games, Opal Jane Smith, Beulah Kail, Covar Jeppe, and Gloria Akin come all prepared.

BOB COUDEN

CORENNA COX

NORMAN CREWS

MIKE CRALLE

KELVYN CULLIMORE

MARY LOUISE CULVER

BOB CURRAN

JACK M. CURRAN

DAROYL CURRY

ROSEMARY CURTIS

CLARK DAUGHERTY

SYLVIA DAV

BEVERLY DAWSON

DIANE DEAN

JEANNIE DEARING

NORMA JEANNE DEFFNER

GAIL DENISON

CAROLE DEUP

RONNIE DODSON

HERSCHEL DOUGLAS

BOB DREWELL

BETTY DUFF

CAROL DUFFORD

J. T. DUNN

REBECCA EDWARDS

BARBARA EICHOR

TONITA ENGLE

ANNETTE FAGIN

DICK FEARNOW

BILL FELDSH

MARTHA FERREE

MIRIAM FERRIN

MAURICE FERRIS

JIM FINNEY

MIKE FISHER

PAT FLEMI

BETTY FLEMMING

JERRY FORBES

JONNIE FORD

BE VELLE FRAZIER

JERRY FREEFIELD

JANICE FREEL

MARILYN FULLER

TOM FULLER

AVA LEE FULLERTON

CARRIE FUZZELL

JAMES GALBRAITH

CAROL GALLAMORE

DARLA GALLAMORE

CAROLYN GEE

GILES GERE

ALMA GIBSON

BEVERLY GILLESPIE

ALICE RAE GLASGOW

BOBBY GOOD

SANFORD GOODMAN

DOLORES GORDON

GLORIA GRAVES

PHOEBE GROSECLOSE

JULIA HALL

Best of Luck Always. Summer School sure was fun with you. Never change! Marilyn

Big Hit 3 Way

Margy Stipes and Beulah Kail are a pleasant reminder that May 28th, you will wish you had an Orbit.

MARY HALL

PHYLLIS HALL

KAY HANESS

JOHN HARBAUGH

DALE HARBOLT

WANDA HARVEY

CLAUDE HARRIS

DIANN HARRIS

GWENDOLYN HARRISON

MARVIN HART

MILBURN HART

OKU HARVE

ANN HATHAWAY

JO ANNA HAUN

LEAH RAE HAYES

RICHARD HAYES

ROBERT HAYES

PHYLLIS HAZ

GENE HAZELWOOD

PATRICIA HEAD

JOHN HENRY

RICHARD HICKS

GINGER HIGHLEYMAN

FAITH HIMELF

ALLAN HERSHFIELD

JERRY HOLIDAY

DOLORES HOLLOWAY

SHIRLEY HOLTON

JAKE HOOVER

JAMES HORN

GENE HUEY

SONDRA HUGHES

GAROLYN HUMBLE

ORPHA HUMPHREY

JANE HUNT

NANCY HUN

MARGARET HYDEN

PHILLIP INC

ELLIOTT JAMES

SYLVIA JANGER

PATSY JEFFREY

COVAR JEPI

BARBARA JOHNSON

BILL JOHNSON

CAROLYN JORSKI

BEULAH KAIL

WANDA KEEL

CONRAD KEIL

YVONNE KELSOE

MARILYNNE KENNEDY

GAYLE KENNEY

BEVERLY KELLY

AL EDA KESSLER

SANDRA KIRBY

JAMES KLASS

CLAUDETTE KLINE

JONNIE LOU KLOPFENSTEIN

KENNETH KNOWLES

BOB KRUGER

LYNDAL KUHN

Push! Pull! Click! Click! Change Classes That Quick

Enthusiasm, that is what students feel when they watch the Comet football team play.

DAN LA FOLLETTE

PHIL LAMBKE

BYRON LAMUN

MARTHA LAUGHLIN

JANICE LEARY

SANDRA LEWALLEN

GWEN LEWELLEN

TOMMY LEWIS

VERNA RUTH LITTLE

BILL LITTLETON

CAROYN LOVEJOY

JACK LUMAN

NORMA LYNCH

BURT MANN

MONTY MANN

JUDY MANNING

JIMMY MAPES

JEANNE MARSH

CLARA JEAN MARTIN

NANCY JANE MARTIN

JARMILA MATTIS

DOUGLAS MATTHEWS

RALPH MAY

JEAN MEAGH

MARILYN MERKEL

HAROLD MESSENGER

PATSY MYER

C. F. MILLER

JERRY MILLER

JIM MILLER

SALLIE MILLER

SHIRLEY MILLIGAN

JERRY MITCHELL

BETH McMAHAN

ROSALIND MITCHELL

WARNER MOBL

MYRNA MOORE

RICHARD MOORE

VERA JO MOORE

MARJORIE MORELAND

MARTHA MOWERY

JOYCE MYER

NORMAN MYERS

CHARLES McCLELLAND

MARLYS McCULLOUGH

DON McDOWN

MARY McGEE

SHIRLEY McGUIRE

EMMA McKENZIE

ALVIN NAIFEH

DON NELSON

JIMMY LOU NELSON

MARILYN NICHOLAS

DAVID NIENHAUS

JERRY ODEN

DELORES OLIPHANT

MARCY OLIVER

JERE OSBURN

CAROLYN OTEY

PATRICIA OWEN

Nothing Friskier

Dear Bert -
Lots of luck to
the bestest guy
in the whole wide
world -
Marty.
Peck

A little cheesecake always makes a publication good.

MARILYN PATRIC

MARILYN PECK

JOHN PERKINS

NORA PEVSNER

MAROLYN PEYTON

GAYLE PICKETT

STANLEY PORCH

DONNA POWELL

JERRY POWELL

JANEY PRICE

LOUISE PRIDDY

PAT PRUNE

PAT PUCKETT

JOHN BARRY RABE

DAVID RANDALL

DONALD REED

ROZELLE RICHARDS

SUSAN RICHAR

NANCY ROBERTSON

LOUISE ROETKER

DIANE ROWLAND

RAY RUSH

KIPP SCHUESSLER

MARY JANE SCH

ROBERT SCRUGGS

HARRY SCOTT

CAROLYN SEALY

DOROTHY SEAY

FLORENE SHADID

YVONNE SHA

BENNY SHARP

RICHARD SHELLEY

JACKIE SHELTON

BEVERLY SHERMAN

NORMA SILVIA

KENNETH SIMM

MURIEL SIMPSON

RUTH ANN SINCLAIR

LIBBY SKALOVSKY

NAOMI SKALOVSKY

JUDY SMARTT

JOELLEN SMI

MARGIE SMITH

SHIRLEY SMITH

SHIRLEY SNODDY

DICK SPARKS

ETHEL SPARKS

NED SPENCE

CHARLES SPENCER

NINA STALEY

DORIS STANTON

AL STEADLEY

JANET STEIN

DELLA STEPHENS

ANN STEWART

SUE STOLDT

LARRY STOVE

DORIS STRAUCH

EDDIE STURM

GEORGE STURM

George Sturm
Burly
AE

We Stick to Our Knittin'

Some fellows have all the luck! Richard Johnson occupies two Classen cuties, Ramah Johns and Jo Anna Haun.

SHIRLEY SUGGS

MARY ELLEN TAYLOR

DON TAYLOR

SANDRA TAYLOR

SCOTT TAYLOR

TOM TERRILL

SALLY THOMPSON

CAROL TIMMONS

ANN TOWNLEY

MARRIETTA TUNNELL

BEVERLY VADEN

ROSEMARY VAU

GRETCHEN VEDDER

JAN VEECH

WOLFE WACKER

MAYTHA WAGNER

SAM WALDIE

JOHNNY WAL

DOROTHY WALKER

JOE WEAVER

ARTHETTA WHITE

LA UNA WHITTIER

HAL WHITTEN

MARY HELEN WI

ELIZIBETH WIGGINS

DIANE WILKINS

KEN WILLIAMS

DONALD WILSON

DON EDWARD WISE

MARY LOU WO

MARY FRANCIS WOOTEN

DICK WORRELL

CAROLYN WRIGHT

DELORES WYATT

MARIE YEAGER

JIMMY YO

HOWDY YOUNG

CARL ZELLNER

FRANCES ABELL

GLORIA AKIN

JOHN BATCHELOR

PAULA BELZ

DARLENE BEST

JOHN BLACKFORD

MARY LOU BLAKELEY

ROZANNE BROCK

BARRY BRUCE

BOB BUCHANAN

BOB BURNS

EDWARD CARITHERS

BARBARA CASSIL

JIMMIE CLAPP

GENE COOK

DON COSGROVE

DAN COSTLEY

PATSY DEEN

PAGE DOBSON

GREGG DOUGLAS

ROBERT ELLISON

EMILY EVANS

Rain or Shine, They Toe the Line

Little Theatre understudies Elaine Schuster, Elizabeth Dill, Margaret Losey and Carolyn Williams do their part for school stage productions.

NEIL FAIL

ROSEMARIE FIOLLE

GAY GARRETT

JAY GLADSTEIN

ROSANNA GROSSMAN

JOYCE HARRIS

NELLYNE HART

SHARON HAWLEY

JOEL HEFLEY

ALICE HODGES

CAROL HUGHES

BUDDY JONE

GAIL JONES

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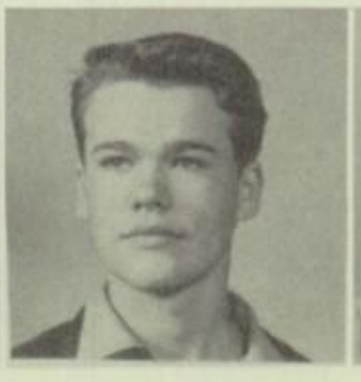
FRANCES LANGHAM



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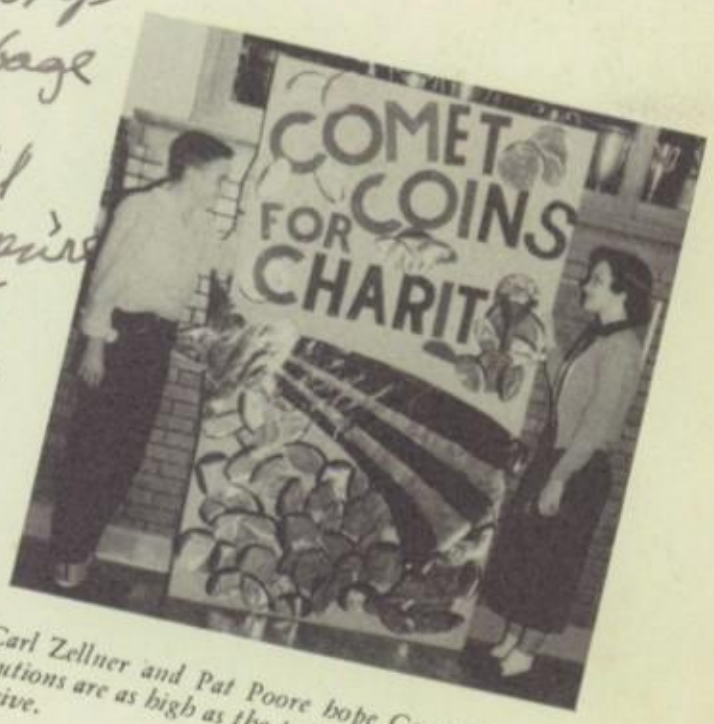
Dear Bert,
I really have enjoyed our friendship ever since biology. (remember the garbage dept.?) you are a loonderful friend and are loads of fun. I know you'll have a successful future 'cause you've **Outstanding!** you really have what it takes. I hope we can get together in college or after. Best of everything to you, Bert
Harriet Rosenstall



Carl Zellner and Pat Poore hope Comets' contributions are as high as the poster during the charity drive.

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MARTHA REEDY

BOB SHAHAN

BOB THOMAS

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CARVER WILL

CHARLES BERG

GAYLE ROGERS

PHYLLIS HAZEL

Dear Bert
Words just can't say what our friendship really means. May it always be a lasting one. Best of luck to a swell fellow
Buffie
Ace

Dear Bert:
Well, looks like this is it, as far as the Graduate record are concerned. I sure hate to see the old gang break up, but I guess it can't be helped. I sure have had lots of fun this past year with you Bert, because you have been a wonderful friend & swell personality! I hope we will always be friends in the future.
Mary Hall

JUNIOR AUTOGRAPHS

Dear Bert,
It's been so much fun being with you this school year even though our schools are several miles apart. I'll be looking forward to being down on the O. U. campus in a few years. Best of luck to you in everything you do.
Always,
Opal Jane
B. V. G.

Dear Bert,
It's been so nice knowing you and then going to school with you the last few years. I think you're really a wonderful boy and I want to wish you the best of luck always,
Love
Sue
Smith
B. V. G.

Dear Bert,
I'm so glad we're friends. You're a wonderful boy and I know you'll succeed in whatever you do. I wish you all the luck in the world.
always,
Mary McGee
B V G

Dear Bert,
It has been such <u>wonderful</u> fun being with you this year. I'll never forget it. I hope we'll always be good friends! Next time you come to see me I'll try to be <u>ready</u>!
I'm sure such a friendly and swell guy will be successful in life.
Love,
Donna Powell

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S tarting a new phase of life
O pening doors of higher learning
P rogressing toward better understanding
H opeful of receiving recognition
O rganizing for efficiency
M astering assigned tasks and studies
O ffering to Classen new ideas
R endering time and service to make a better school
E ager to replace their upperclassmen

Entering a new kind of life is fun, but it is also bewildering, as it was for more than 600 sophomores who entered Classen last September.

"No, this is not a sophomore English class, this is a history class" are words some heard often at first. Familiar words later were "Pledge, my shoes need shining." These and other memories are in the mental albums of many sophomores.

As the days passed, they learned the ways of Classen. They gave their support at all competitive meets and have taken an active part in all of Classen's affairs.

This year's class officers have done a good job presiding over the group's activities. Miss Retha Wave Hulet has been there as guide and counselor.

Upperclassmen are confident their achievements will be equaled and perhaps bettered when the sophomores of 1951-52 step up to fill that higher place.

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Symbols of Home

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JACK BLEDSOE

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STUART BROCK

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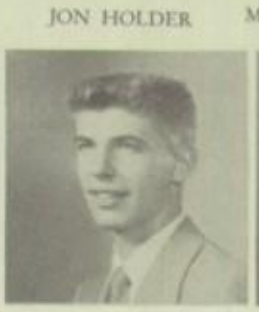
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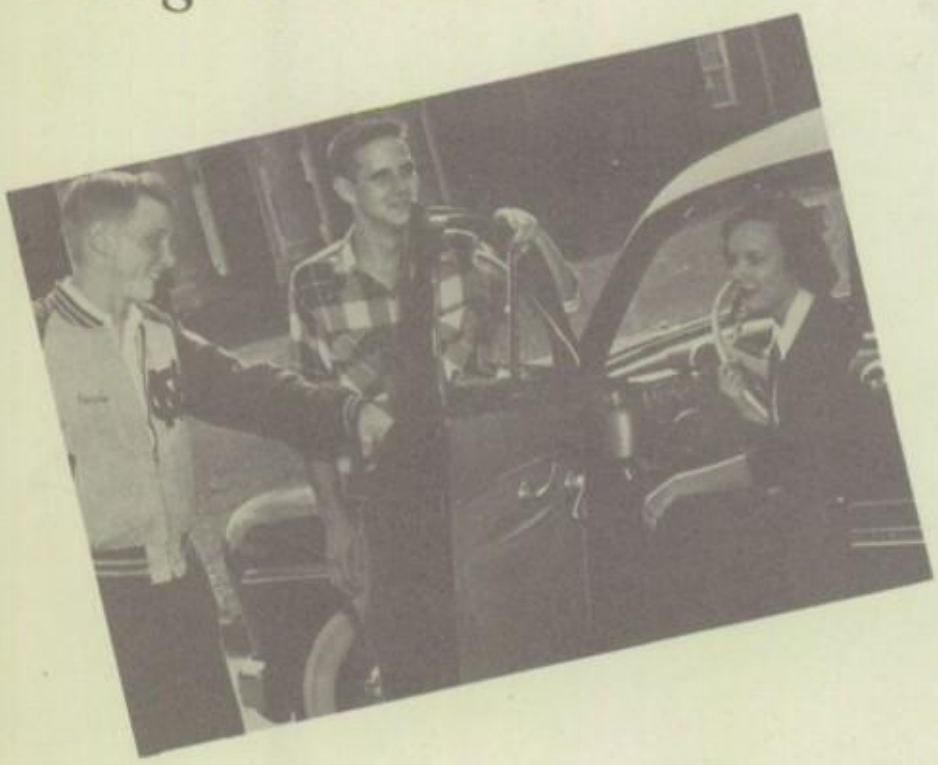

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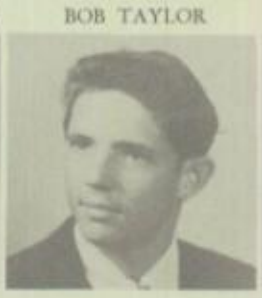

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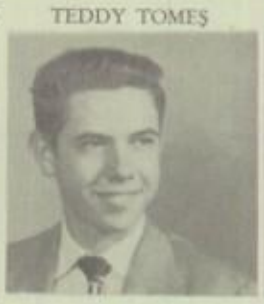

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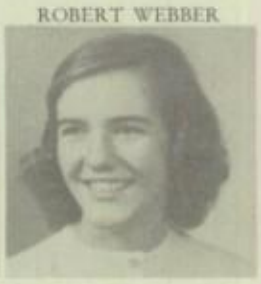

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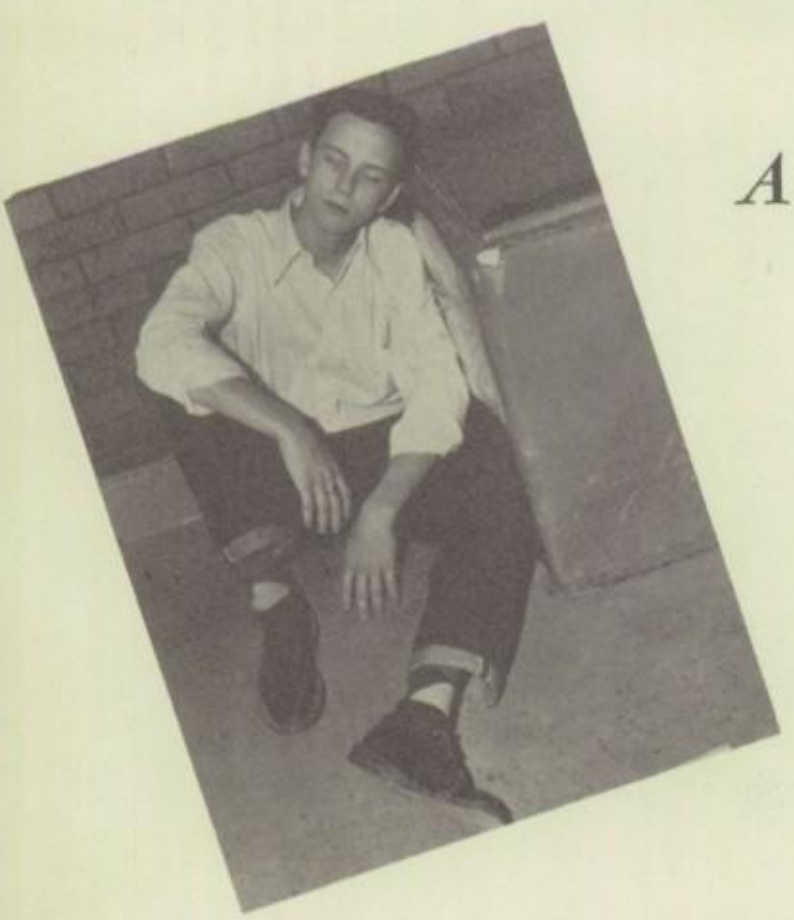

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BILLBOARD

By BIVEN

CAN'T HEAR YA DAMN BOY

SURPRISE EVERY BODY

THIS IS THE END!

ADIOS MUCHACHOS FLORIDA OR BUST

SOMEBODY GET THIS BOMB

HELP ME CHARLIE

SO I'M OUT OF FUNDS WERE IN A BATHING SUIT - SO WHAT

OH NO NOT AGAIN

THIS IS A GREAT LIFE IF YOU DON'T WEAKEN

JUST CALL ME ERNIE THE ARMY

CENSORED

OH! MOTHER

IS THIS PLAYING FOR KEEPS ??

OH! IT'S NOTHIN'

BOO!

I'M JUST A DROP IN THE BUCKET

WHAT MAKES YOU THINK BEING PRES. WAS A BOY'S LIFE

OH YOU WOULDN'T WOULD YOU MARGARET

THE EARLY BIRD GETS THE WORM GEESH

Dear Bert,
I can't begin
to tell you how much
fun I have had this
year in the "ole gang."
You have so much personality
and pep. I hope you will
have all the success and
happiness in the world, for
you really are deserving.
May luck be with you
always.
Eleanor Hopper

Dear Bert:
You are really a
swell fellow and I know
you've been a great
member this year &
a swell sport to
Board meetings
always. Best
Luck, Sue

Dear Bert, every since the seventh grade when I had a mad crush on you (remember!) I have liked and admired you very much. You are so much fun to be around, and a very good friend to have. I will never forget what a wonderful person you are, and how much fun you are to be with. Keep getting skinny! Sincerely, Jane Ann

Dear Bert,

I shall never think of classes without seeing your smiling face before me. I admire you more than I can say in such little space. You're a very wonderful person. I'm glad I'm going to U. U. because then you & I can be friends there (I hope) just as we have been in highschool.

Best of luck to the friendliest boy at school.

Mary Helen

Dear One,

Burt,
It's been loads of fun
knowing you the past three
years. Good luck always.
You deserve the best!

Don Peters

Bert,

Well this year has been the greatest. you'll never know what your friendship has meant to me. you don't know how I am looking foward to rooming with you at O.U. I know were going to have fun going on "panties raid."

Best of luck in everything!!!!

as always,

Charles Green

Bert,

It has been just swell to know such a sincere, friendly person. Our friendship has been a lot of fun.

Best Wishes - Alfred Pugh